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1 - INTRODUCTION

This manual is part of a set of documents provided to describe installation, maintenance and operation of the SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzers. The analyzer document library set generally includes the following:

- SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e Hardware Installation and Maintenance Manual
- Firmware Operator's Manual

System Overview

SpectraSensors' SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e products are high-speed, diode-laser based extractive analyzers designed for extremely reliable monitoring of very low (trace) to standard concentrations of specific components in various background gases. In order to ensure that the analyzer performs as specified, it is important to closely review the contents of this manual. This manual contains a comprehensive overview of the SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzer and step-by-step instructions on:

- Inspecting the analyzer and sample conditioning system (SCS)
- Installing the analyzer and SCS
- Starting up the SCS
- Troubleshooting the system

Who Should Read This Manual

This manual should be read and referenced by anyone installing, operating or having direct contact with the analyzer.

How to Use This Manual

Take a moment to familiarize yourself with this Operator's Manual by reading the **Table of Contents**.

There are a number of options and accessories available for the SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzers. This manual has been written to address the most common options and accessories. Images, tables and charts have been included to provide a visual understanding of the analyzer and its functions. Special symbols are also used to provide the user with key information regarding the system configuration and/or operation. Pay close attention to this information.

General Warnings and Cautions

Instructional icons are provided in this manual and on the analyzer to alert the user of potential hazards, important information and valuable tips. Following are the symbols and associated warning and caution types to observe when servicing the analyzer. Some of these symbols are provided for instructional purposes only and are not labeled on the system.



General notes and important information concerning the installation and operation of the analyzer.



*Warning statement for **hazardous voltage**. Contact may cause electric shock or burn. Turn off and lock out system before servicing.*



Failure to follow all directions or substitution of components may result in explosion.



Failure to follow all directions may result in fire.



INVISIBLE LASER RADIATION - Avoid exposure to beam. Class 3b Radiation Product. Refer servicing to the manufacturer-qualified personnel.



Failure to follow all directions may result in damage or malfunction of the analyzer.



Maximum voltage and current specifications for the fuse closest to label.

Conventions Used in this Manual

In addition to the symbols and instructional information, this electronic manual is created with “hot links” to enable the user to quickly navigate between different sections within the manual. These links include table, figure and section references and are identified by a pointing finger cursor  when rolling over the text. Simply click on the link to navigate to the associated reference.

SpectraSensors Overview

SpectraSensors, Inc. is a leading manufacturer of technologically advanced electro-optic gas analyzers for the industrial process, gas distribution and environmental monitoring markets. Headquartered in Houston, Texas, SpectraSensors was incorporated in 1999 as a spin-off of the NASA/Caltech Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL) for the purpose of commercializing space-proven measurement technologies initially developed at JPL.

About the Gas Analyzers

The SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e are tunable diode laser (TDL) absorption spectrometers operating in the near- to short-wavelength infrared. Each compact sensor consists of a TDL light source, sample cell and detector specifically configured to enable high sensitivity measurement of a particular component within the presences of other gas phase constituents in the stream. The sensor is controlled by microprocessor-based electronics with embedded software that incorporates advanced operational and data processing algorithms.

Sample Conditioning System

A sample conditioning system is included with the system that has been specifically designed to deliver an optimum sample stream that is representative of the process systems stream at the time of sampling. Most SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzer systems are configured for use at extractive natural gas sampling stations.

Differences between the SS500e, SS2000e, and SS3000e

The SS500e and SS2000e are single-channel analyzers used predominantly for measuring H₂O or CO₂ in pipeline natural gas. The SS2000e is a higher resolution version of the SS500e (for performance specifications, see Table A-1 on page A-1, Table A-2 on page A-2, Table A-3 on page A-3 or Table A-4 on page A-4). The SS3000e is a dual-channel version of the SS2000e and is usually configured to measure H₂O and/or CO₂ in the same or separate pipeline natural gas sample streams (for performance specifications, see Table A-5 on page A-5). Refer to the following chart for an illustration of possible system configurations for the SS3000e.

Channel A	Channel B
H ₂ O	H ₂ O
H ₂ O	CO ₂
CO ₂	CO ₂

How the Analyzers Work

The SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzers employ tunable diode laser absorption spectroscopy (TDLAS) to detect the presence of trace substances in process gases. Absorption spectroscopy is a widely used technique for sensitive trace species detection. Because the measurement is made in the volume of the gas, the response is much faster, more accurate and significantly more reliable than traditional surface-based sensors that are subject to surface contamination.

In its simplest form, a diode laser absorption spectrometer typically consists of a sample cell with a mirror at one end, and a mirror or window at the opposite end, through which the laser beam can pass. Refer to Figure 1-1. The laser beam enters the cell and reflects off the mirror(s) making one or more trips through the sample gas and eventually exiting the cell where the remaining beam intensity is measured by a detector. With the SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzers, sample gas flows continuously through the sample cell ensuring that the sample is always representative of the flow in the main pipe.

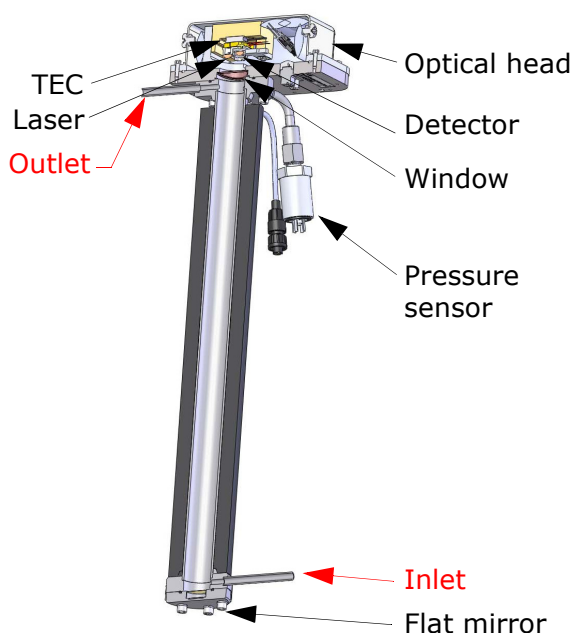


Figure 1-1 Schematic of a typical laser diode absorption spectrometer

Due to their inherent structure, the molecules in the sample gas each have characteristic natural frequencies (or resonances). When the output of the laser is tuned to one of those natural frequencies, the molecules with that particular resonance will absorb energy from the incident beam. That is, as the beam of incident intensity, $I_0(\lambda)$, passes through the sample, attenuation occurs via absorption by the trace gas with absorption cross section $\sigma(\lambda)$. According to the Beer-Lambert absorption law, the intensity remaining, $I(\lambda)$, as measured

by the detector at the end of the beam path of length I (cell length x number of passes), is given by

$$I(\lambda) = I_0(\lambda)\exp[-\sigma(\lambda)IN] , \quad (1)$$

where N represents the species concentration. Thus, the ratio of the absorption measured when the laser is tuned on-resonance versus off-resonance is directly proportional to the number of molecules of that particular species in the beam path, or

$$N = \frac{-1}{\sigma(\lambda)I} \ln \left[\frac{I(\lambda)}{I_0(\lambda)} \right] . \quad (2)$$

Figure 1-2 shows the typical raw data from a laser absorption spectrometer scan including the incident laser intensity, $I_0(\lambda)$, and the transmitted intensity, $I(\lambda)$, for a clean system and one with contaminated mirrors (shown to illustrate the system's relative insensitivity to mirror contamination). The positive slope of raw data results from ramping the current to tune the laser, which not only increases the wavelength with current, but also causes the corresponding output power to increase. By normalizing the signal by the incident intensity, any laser output fluctuations are canceled, and a typical, yet more pronounced, absorption profile results. Refer to Figure 1-3.

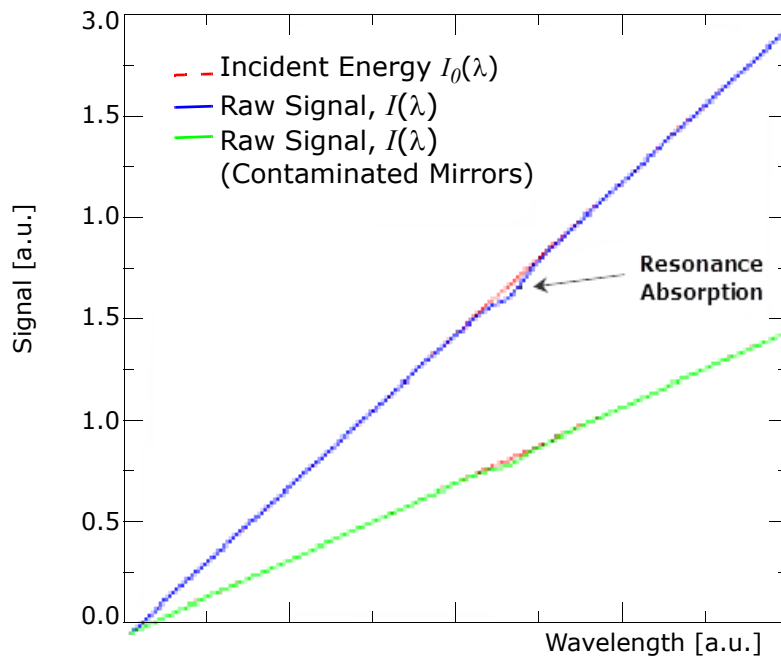


Figure 1-2 Typical raw signal from a laser diode absorption spectrometer with and without mirror contamination

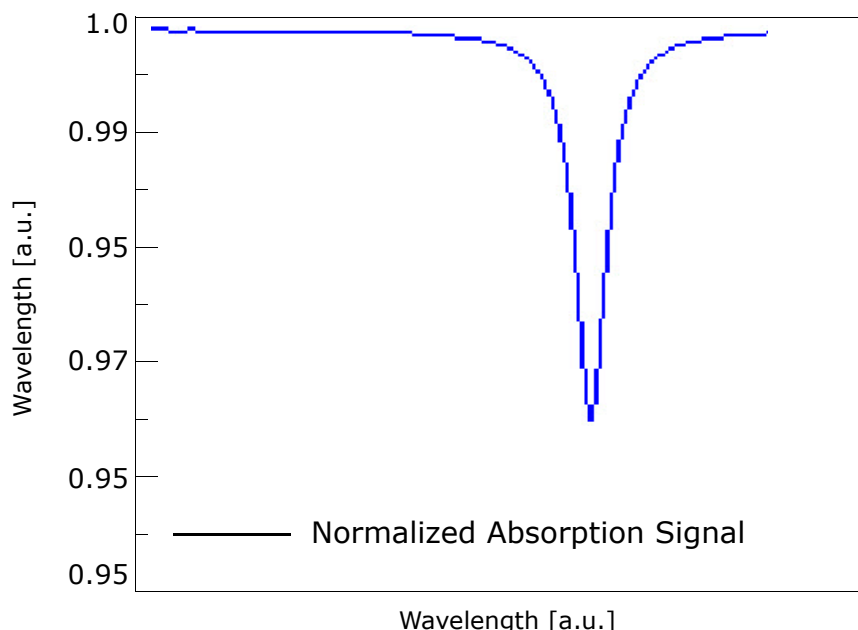


Figure 1-3 Typical normalized absorption signal from a laser diode absorption spectrometer

Note that contamination of the mirrors results solely in lower overall signal. However, by tuning the laser off-resonance as well as on-resonance and normalizing the data, the technique self calibrates every scan resulting in measurements that are unaffected by mirror contamination.

Wavelength Modulation Spectroscopy (WMS) Signal Detection

SpectraSensors takes the fundamental absorption spectroscopy concept a step further by using a sophisticated signal detection technique called wavelength modulation spectroscopy (WMS). When employing WMS, the laser drive current is modulated with a kHz sine wave as the laser is rapidly tuned. A lock-in amplifier is then used to detect the harmonic component of the signal that is at twice the modulation frequency ($2f$), as shown in Figure 1-4. This phase-sensitive detection enables the filtering of low-frequency noise caused by turbulence in the sample gas, temperature and/or pressure fluctuations, low-frequency noise in the laser beam or thermal noise in the detector.

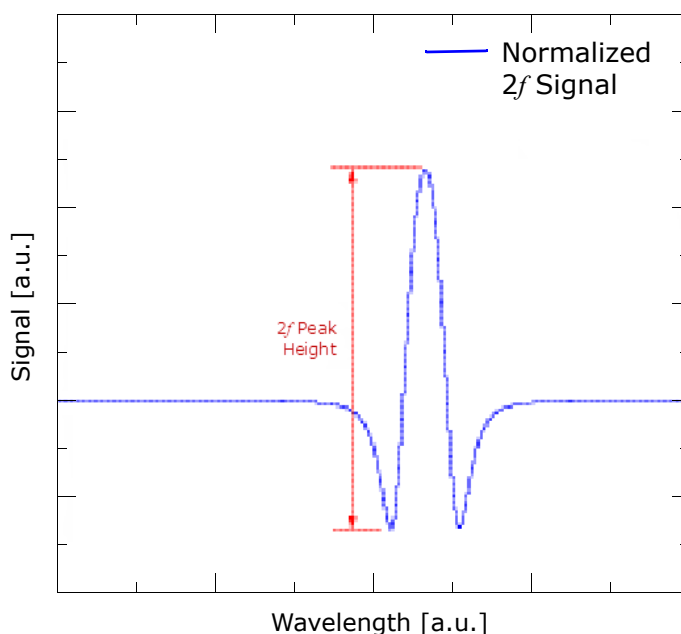


Figure 1-4 Typical normalized $2f$ signal where the species concentration is proportional to the peak height

With the resulting low-noise signal and use of fast post-processing algorithms, reliable parts per million (ppm) or parts per billion (ppb) detection levels are possible (depending on target and background species) at real-time response rates (on the order of 1 second).

All SpectraSensors TDL gas analyzers employ a similar design and hardware platform. Measuring different trace gases in various mixed hydrocarbon background streams is accomplished by selecting a different optimum diode laser wavelength between 700-3000nm, which provides the least amount of sensitivity to background stream variations.

Getting Familiar with the Analyzer

SpectraSensors' SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzers are typically comprised of two main enclosures; the analyzer electronics and the sample conditioning system (SCS), as shown in Figure 1-5. Refer to Appendix A for system drawings. On the front panel of the analyzer, the keypad and LCD display serve as the user interface to the analyzer. Internally, the control electronics drive the laser, collect the signal, analyze the spectra and provide measurement output signals.

Housed inside the SCS are the measurement cell and heater along with flow devices to control flow and pressure for the measurement cell and the bypass loop.

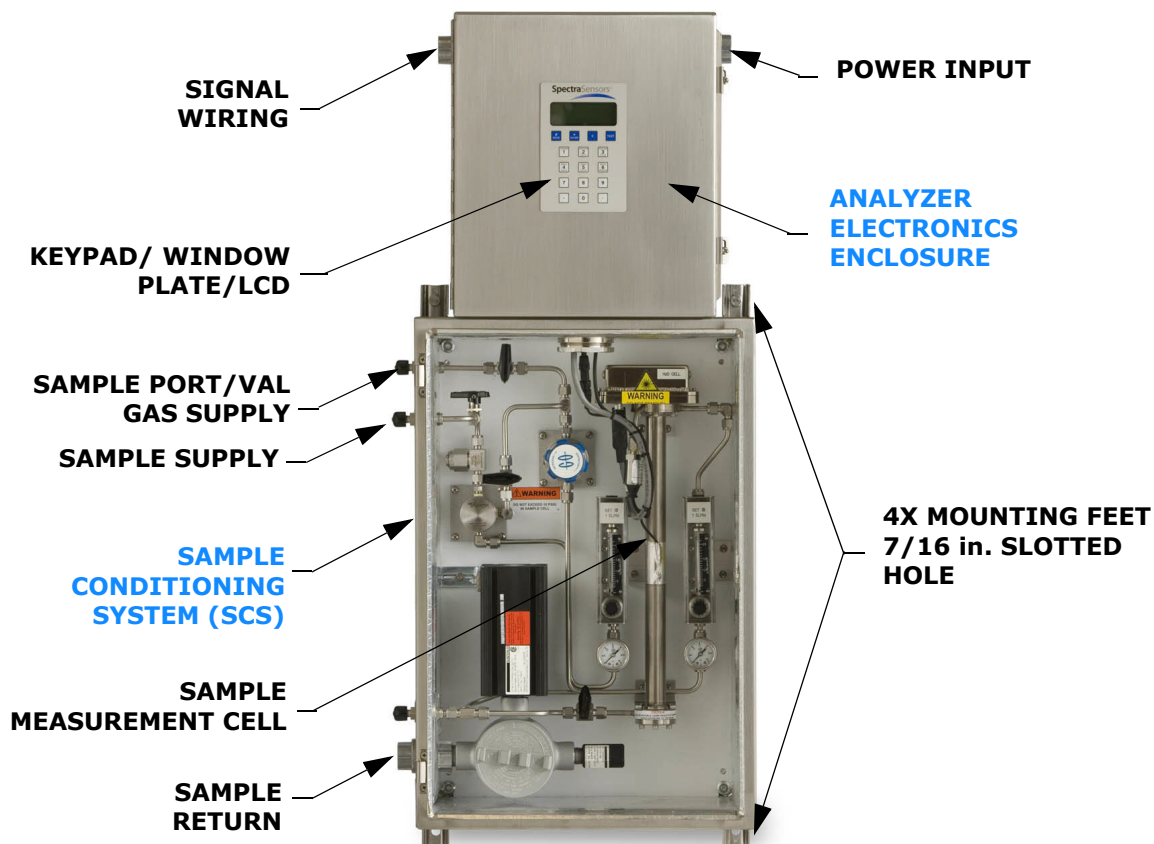


Figure 1-5 SS500e/SS2000e components

Power is connected to the analyzer from an external power source through the top of the enclosure. The measurement cell along with flow devices to control flow and pressure for the measurement cell and the bypass loop are mounted inside the SCS enclosure. Refer to Chapter 3 for more information on the SCS.

Inside the SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzer electronics enclosure is the electronics assembly. Refer to Figures 1-6 through 1-11 for a views of the AC electronics assemblies and DC electronics assemblies.



The circled area in Figure 1-6 highlights the optional RS-232C to RS-485 converter. For analyzers configured with an RS-232C connection only, the converter is not installed on the electronic assembly, which will use different cables for connections.

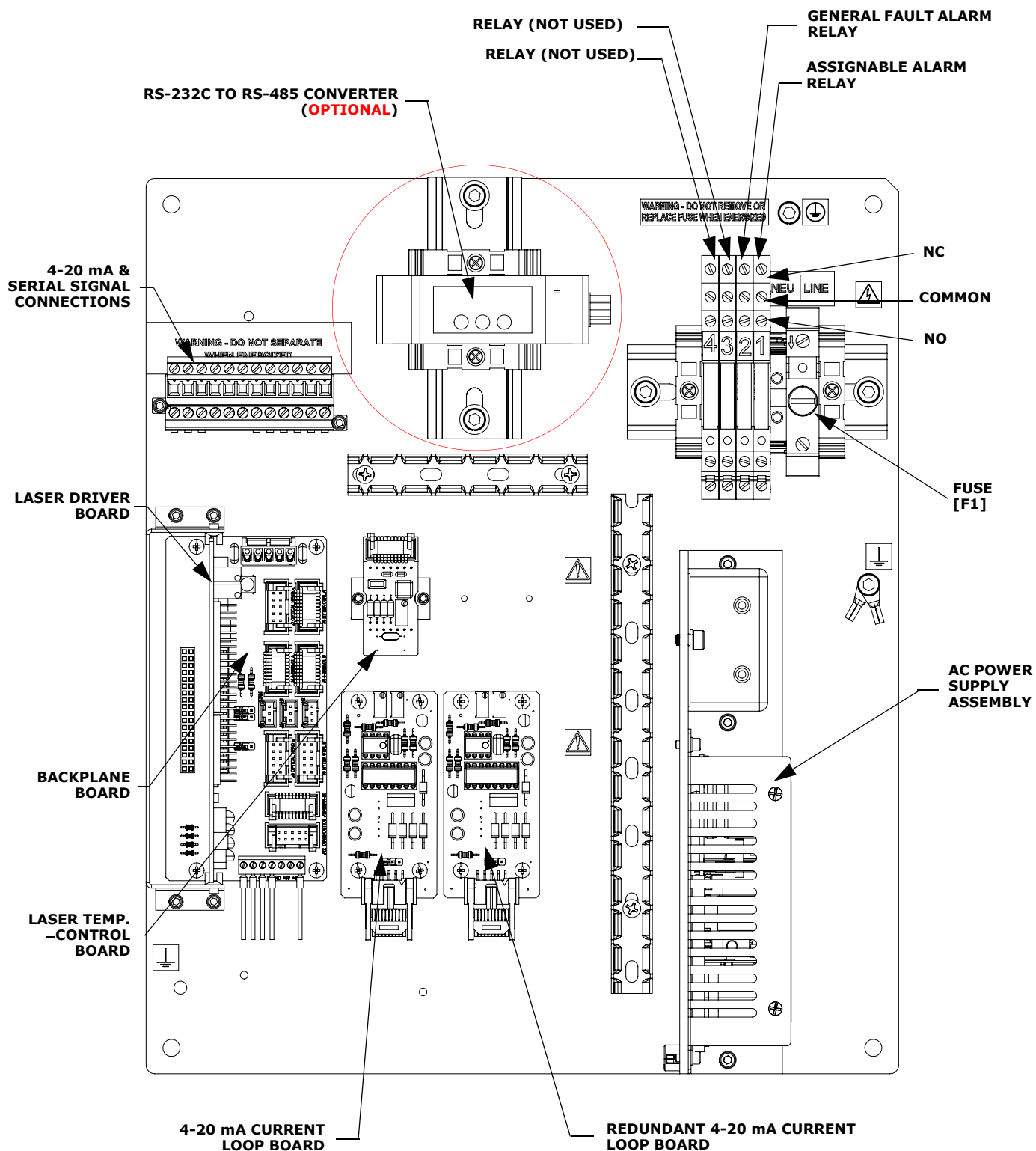


Figure 1-6 Electronics control board (AC) for single-channel systems (SS500e/SS2000e) with RS-232C to RS-485 converter

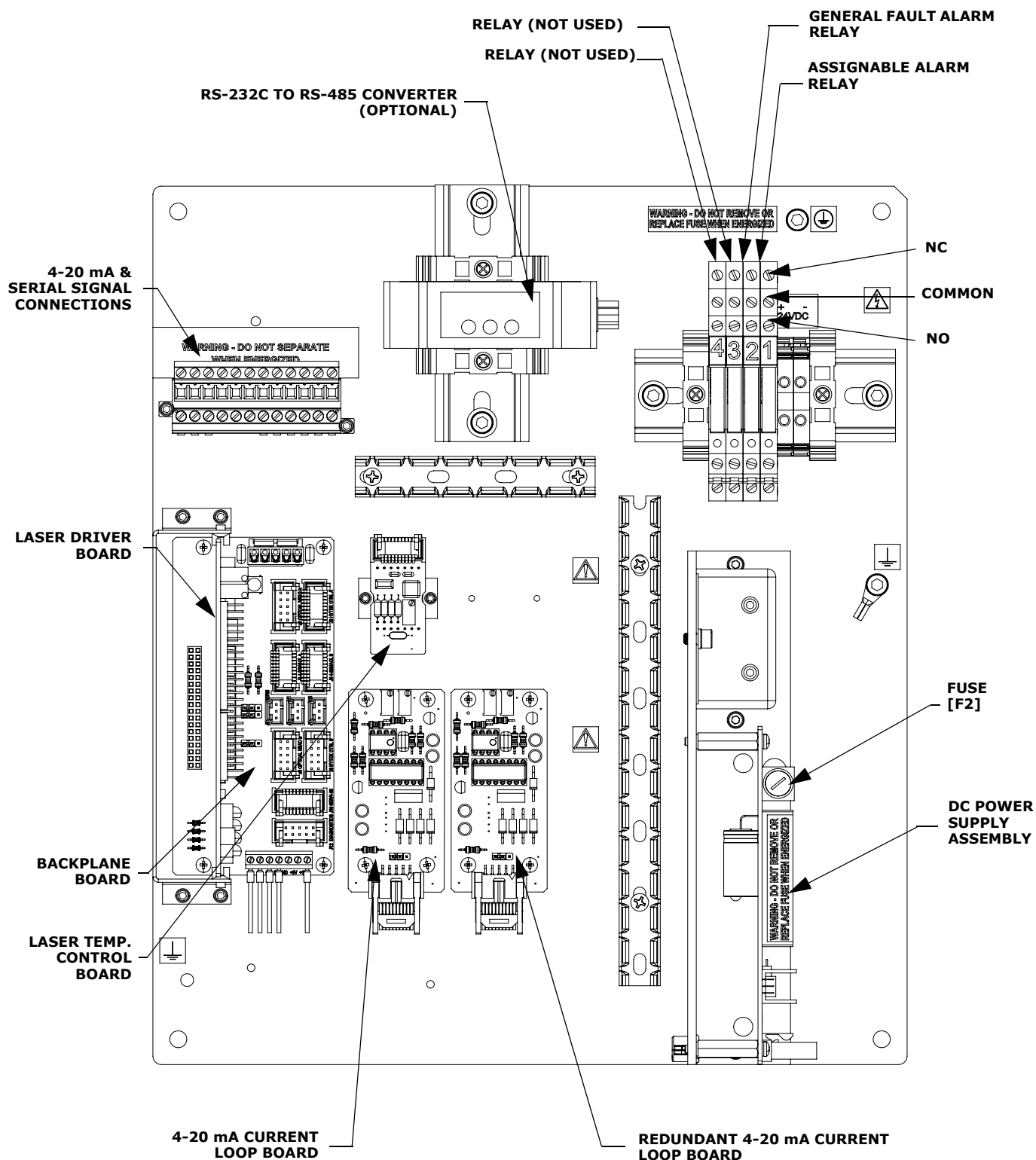


Figure 1-7 Electronics control board (DC) for single-channel systems (SS500e/SS2000e) with RS-232C to RS-485 converter

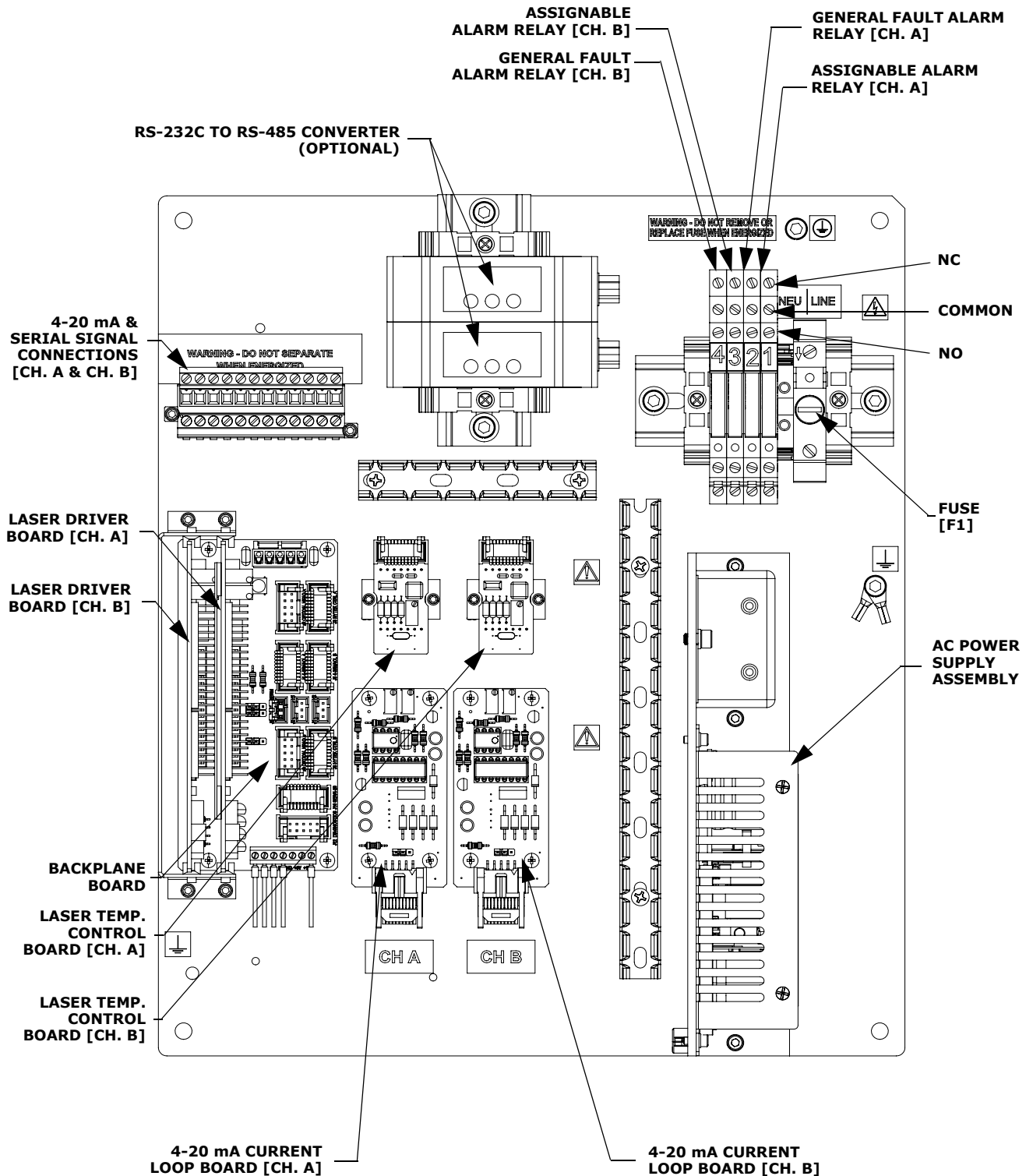


Figure 1-8 Electronics control board (AC) for dual-channel systems (SS3000e) with RS-232C to RS-485 converter

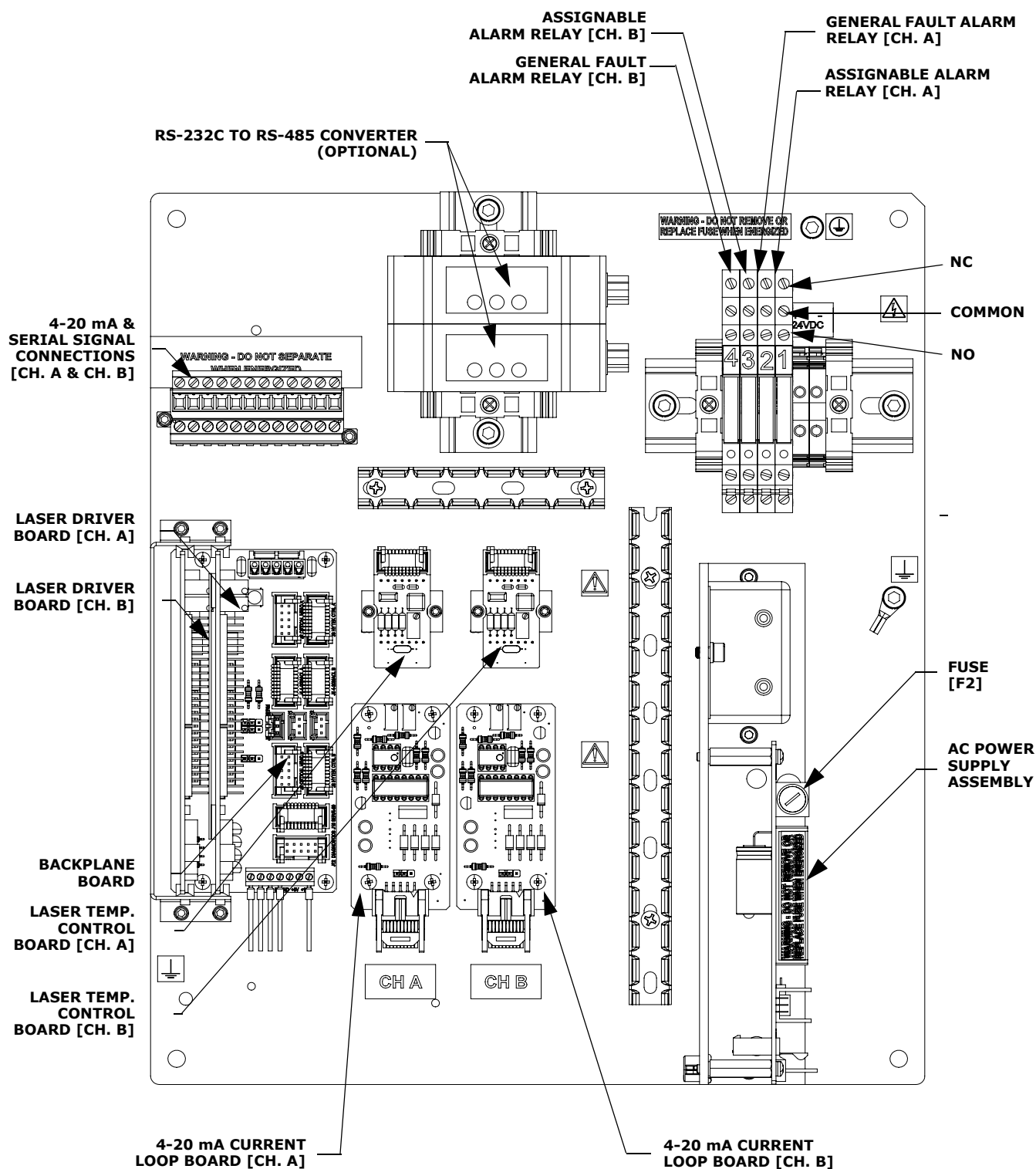


Figure 1-9 Electronics control board (DC) for dual-channel systems (SS3000e) with RS-232C to RS-485 converter

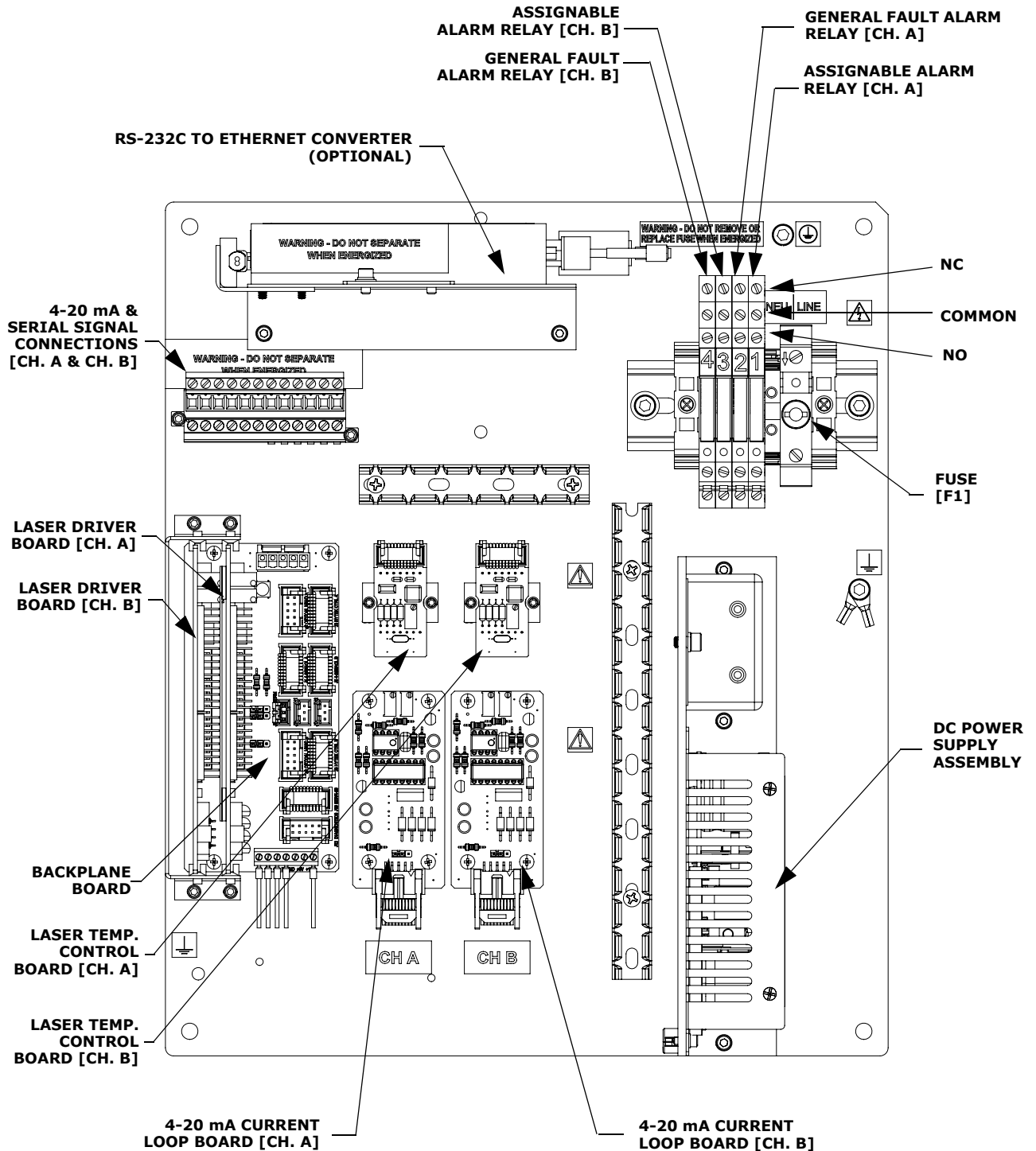


Figure 1-10 Electronics control board (AC) for dual-channel systems (SS3000e) with RS-232C to Ethernet

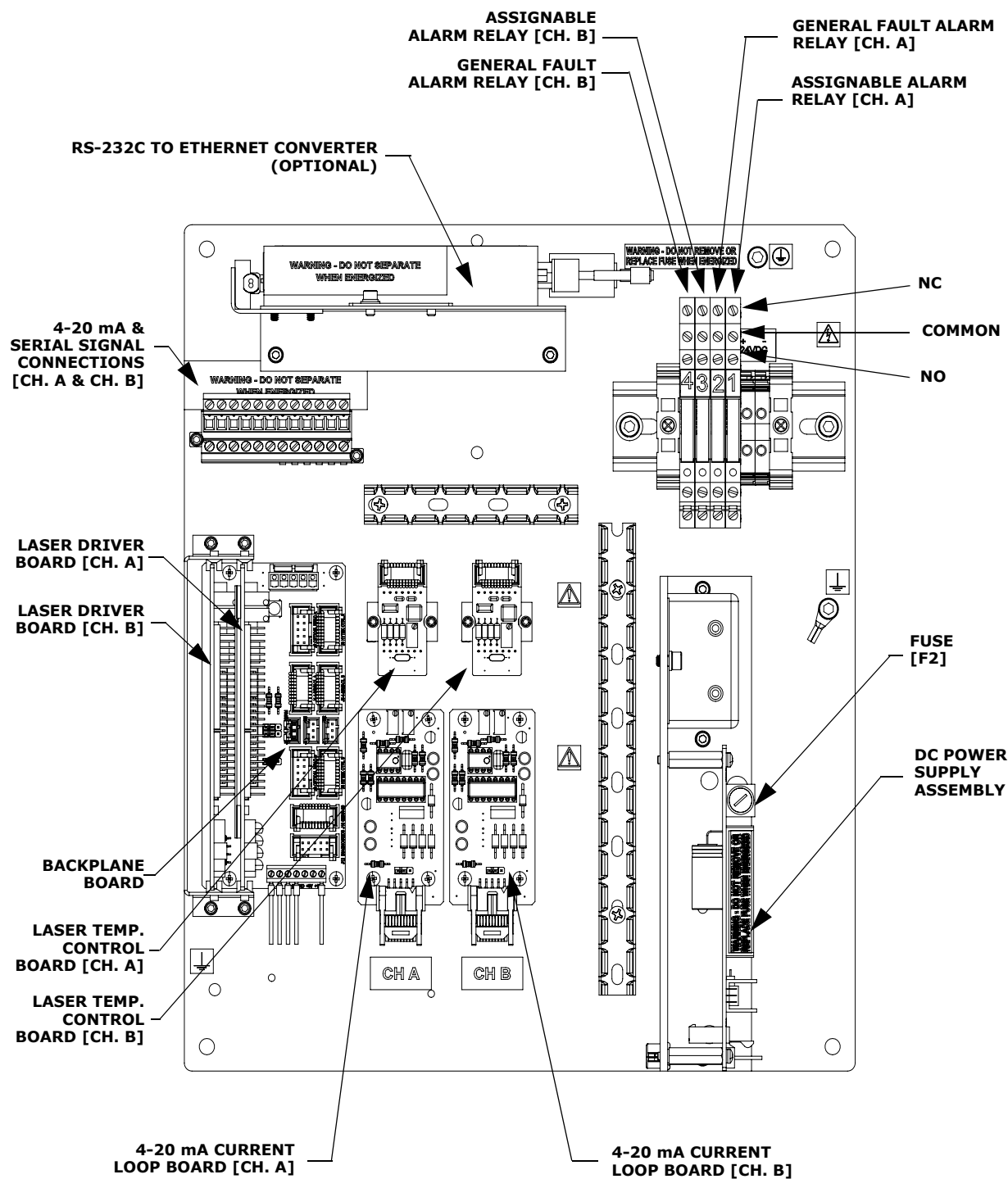


Figure 1-11 Electronics control board (DC) for dual-channel systems (SS3000e) with RS-232C to Ethernet

Fuses are located on the electronics control board, as shown in Figure 1-7 through Figure 1-11.



If you need to replace a fuse, use only the same type and rating of fuse as the original as listed in Table 1-1.

Table 1-1 Fuse specifications



DWG Ref.	Voltage	Description	Rating
F1	120 VAC	Miniature Fuse, 5 x 20 mm, Time Delay	250VAC/0.8A
	240 VAC	Miniature Fuse, 5 x 20 mm, Time Delay	250VAC/0.5A
F2	24 VDC	Miniature Fuse, 5 x 20 mm, Time Delay	250VAC/1.6A

NOTE: Refer to Figure 1-6 through Figure 1-11.

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2 - INSTALLATION

This section describes the processes used to initially install and configure your SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e. Once the analyzer arrives, you should take a few minutes to examine the contents of the container and this manual before installing the unit.

What Should be Included in the Shipping Box

The contents of the crate should include:

- The SpectraSensors SS500e, SS2000e or SS3000e
- CDs; Operator's Manuals and other operational instructions as necessary
- One (SS500e or SS2000e) or two (SS3000e) external serial cable(s) to connect the analyzer to a computer
- Additional accessories or options as ordered

If any of these contents are missing, contact your sales representative.

Inspecting the Analyzer and SCS

Unpack and place the unit on a flat surface. Carefully inspect all enclosures for dents, dings, or general damage. Inspect the inlet and outlet connections for damage, such as bent tubing. Report any damage to the carrier.



Avoid jolting the instrument by dropping it or banging it against a hard surface. This action may disturb the optical alignment.

Installing the Analyzer and SCS

Installing the analyzer is relatively easy requiring only a few steps that, when carefully followed, will ensure proper mounting and connection. This section includes:

- Hardware and Tools for Installation
- Mounting the Analyzer
- Connecting Electrical Power to the Analyzer
- Connecting the Output Signals and Alarms
- Connecting the Gas Lines

Hardware and Tools for Installation

Depending on the particular model, the configuration of accessories and options ordered, you may need the following hardware and tools to complete the installation process.

Hardware:

- Membrane separator filter (if not included)
- Pressure regulator (if not included)
- 3/8" bolts and nuts
- Stainless steel tubing (SpectraSensors recommends using 1/4" O.D. x0.035" wall thickness, seamless stainless steel tubing)
- Conduit

Tools:

- Hand drill and bits
- Tape measure
- Level
- Pencil
- Socket wrench set
- Screw driver
- Crescent wrench
- 9/16" open-end wrench

Mounting the Analyzer

The SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzer is manufactured for wall or Unistrut® (or equivalent) metal framing installations. Refer to the layout diagrams in Appendix A for detailed mounting dimensions.



When mounting the analyzer, be sure not to position the instrument so that it is difficult to operate adjacent devices. Allow 3 feet (1 m) of room in front of the analyzer and any switches.



It is critical to mount the analyzer so that the inlet and outlet lines reach the inlet and outlet connections on the chassis while still maintaining flexibility so that the sample lines are not under excessive stress.

To mount the analyzer:

1. Select a suitable location to mount the analyzer. Choose a shaded area or use an optional analyzer hood (or equivalent) to minimize sun exposure.



SpectraSensors analyzers are designed for operation within the specified ambient temperature range of -4 °F to 122 °F (-20 °C to 50 °C). Intense sun exposure in some areas may cause the analyzer temperature to exceed the maximum.

2. Locate the mounting holes on your unit.
3. For wall installations, mark the centers of the top mounting holes.
4. Drill the appropriate size holes for the screws you are using.
5. Hold the analyzer in place and fasten with the top screws.
6. Repeat for the bottom mounting holes.

Once all four screws are tightened the analyzer should be very secure and ready for the electrical connections.

Connecting Electrical Power to the Analyzer

The analyzer will be configured for 100-240 VAC @ 50/60 Hz single phase input or optionally 18-24 VDC input. Check the manufacturing data label or the terminal block labels to determine the power input requirements. All work must be performed by personnel qualified in electrical conduit installation. Conduit seals should be used where appropriate in compliance with local regulations.



Hazardous voltage and risk of electric shock. Before attaching the wiring to the analyzer, make sure all power to the wires is off.



Careful consideration should be taken when grounding. Properly ground the unit by connecting ground leads to the grounding studs provided throughout the system that are labeled with the ground symbol .

Depending on the analyzer configuration, the electrical wiring can typically be connected to the analyzer through a conduit hub located at the upper right of the electronics enclosure.

To connect electrical power to the analyzer:

1. Open the electronics enclosure door. Take care not to disturb the electrical assembly inside.



Hazardous voltage and risk of electric shock. Failure to properly ground the analyzer may create a high-voltage shock hazard.

2. Run conduit from the power distribution panel to the conduit hub on the electronics enclosure labeled for the analyzer power input.



Conduit seals should be used where appropriate in compliance with local regulations.

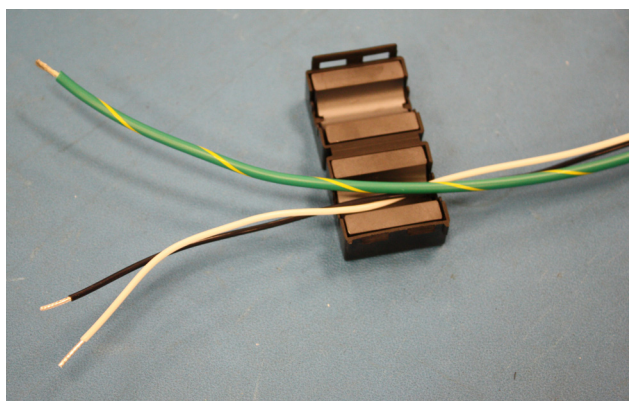


Because the breaker in the power distribution panel or switch will be the primary means of disconnecting the power from the analyzer, the power distribution panel should be located in close proximity to the equipment and within easy reach of the operator, or within 10 feet of the analyzer.



An approved switch or circuit breaker rated for 15 amps should be used and clearly marked as the disconnecting device for the analyzer.

3. For AC systems, pull ground, neutral and hot wires (#14 AWG minimum) into the electronics enclosure. For DC systems, pull ground, plus and minus wires.
4. In keeping with best practices, run the wires through the provided ferrite as shown below.

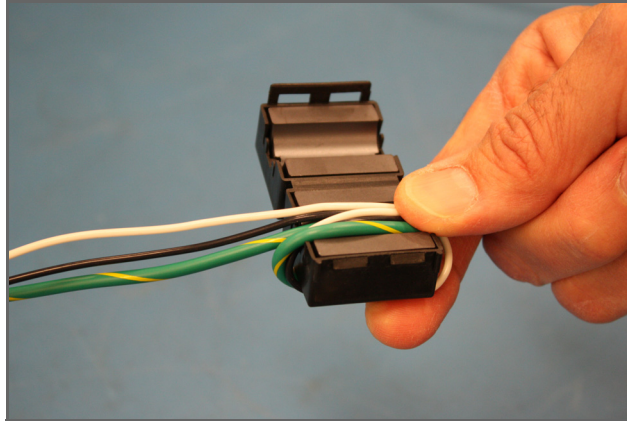


Proper installation and use of the provided ferrite is required for electromagnetic immunity rating.

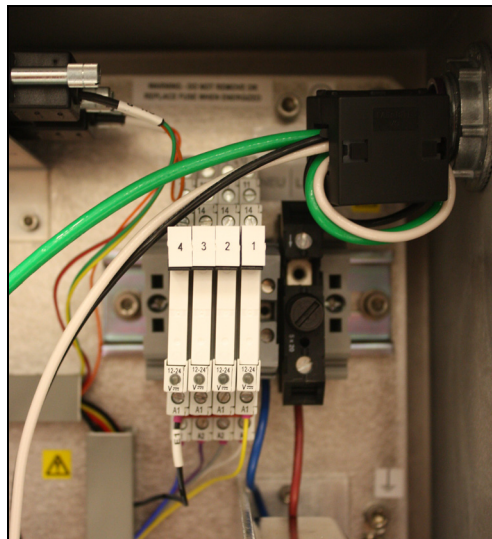


The ferrite is fragile and will break if dropped. Use caution when handling.

5. Wrap the wires tightly around the ferrite as shown below.



6. Make sure the ferrite ends up as close to the entry point of the wires as possible, as shown below.



7. Strip back the jacket and/or insulation of the wires just enough to connect to the power terminal block.
8. For AC systems, attach the neutral and hot wires to the power terminal block by connecting the neutral wire to the terminal marked "NEU," the hot wire to the terminal marked "LINE," as shown in Figure 2-1. For DC systems, connect the minus wire to the terminal marked "-", and the positive wire to the terminal marked "+," as shown in Figure 2-1.

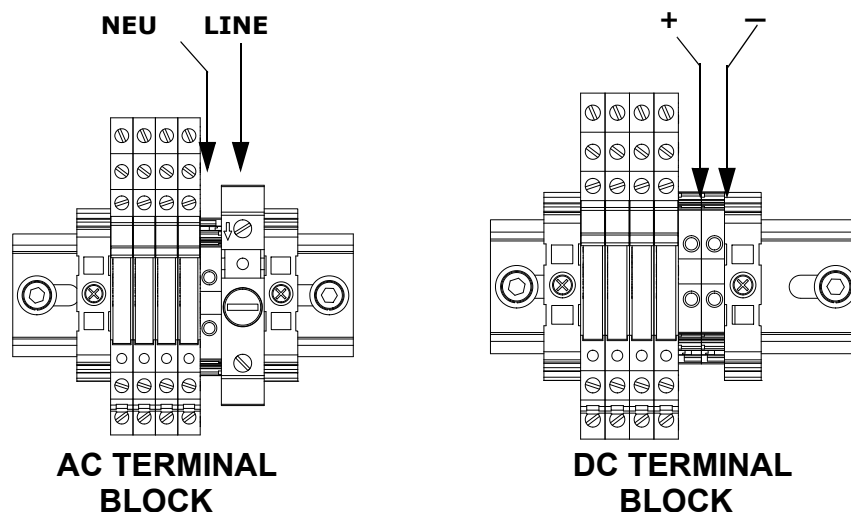
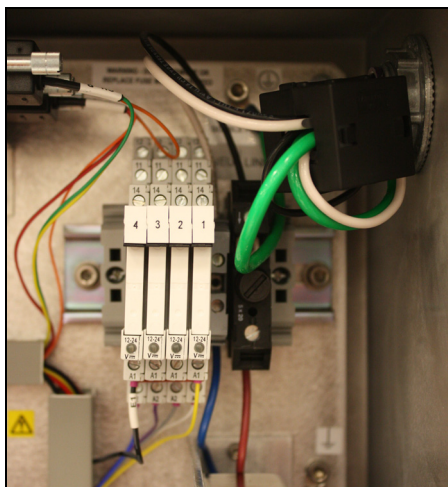


Figure 2-1 AC and DC connection terminal blocks in electronics enclosure

9. Connect the ground wire to the ground screw marked $\oplus$. Refer to the illustration below.



10. Close and tighten the electronics enclosure door.

Connecting Electrical Power to the Enclosure Heater

Units with an enclosure heater will have an additional power connection through a conduit hub located at the bottom left of the enclosure.

To connect electrical power to the enclosure heater:

1. Open the heated enclosure door. Take care not to disturb anything inside.



Hazardous voltage and risk of electric shock. Failure to properly ground the analyzer may create a high-voltage shock hazard.

2. Open the power terminal box inside the heated enclosure, as shown in Figure 2-2.

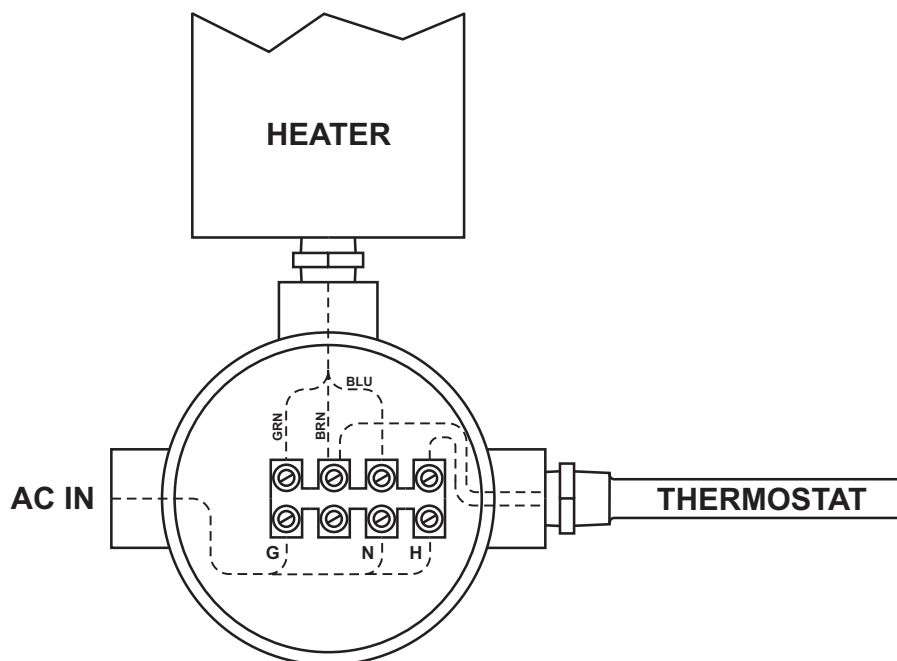


Figure 2-2 AC connection terminal block for enclosure heater

3. Run conduit from the power distribution panel to the conduit hub on the lower left side of the heated enclosure labeled for the heater power input.



Conduit seals should be used where appropriate in compliance with local regulations.



Because the breaker in the power distribution panel or switch will be the primary means of disconnecting the power from the heater, the power distribution panel should be located in close proximity to the equipment and within easy reach of the operator, or within 10 feet of the analyzer.



An approved switch or circuit breaker rated for 15 amps should be used and clearly marked as the disconnecting device for the heater.

4. Pull ground, neutral and hot wires (#14 AWG minimum) into the power terminal box inside the heated enclosure.
5. Strip back the jacket and/or insulation of the wires just enough to connect to the power terminal block.
6. Attach the neutral and hot wires to the power terminal by connecting the neutral wire to the terminal marked "N," the hot wire to the terminal marked "H," as shown in Figure 2-2.
7. Connect the ground wire to the ground terminal marked "G" or .
8. Close the power terminal box.
9. Close and latch the heated enclosure door.

Connecting the Output Signals and Alarms

The 4-20 mA current loop and serial output(s) are supplied from the mating terminal block (TB2) located inside the analyzer electronics enclosure as shown in Figure 1-6, Figure 1-7, Figure 1-8, Figure 1-10 or Figure 1-11. In addition, two digital outputs per channel connected to SPDT relays are also provided.

The relay for the **General Fault Alarm** is configured to be fail-safe (or normally energized) so the dry contact will open in the event of power loss or **General Fault Alarm**. Thus, the cable for the **General Fault Alarm** should be wired to the common and normally open (NO) terminals.

The standard configuration provides RS-232C output; however, optional converters are available to provide RS-485 or Ethernet output. By default, the 4-20 mA current loop output is factory set to source current.



*The 4-20 mA current loop output is factory set to source current. To change the 4-20 mA current loop output from source to sink, see **"To change a 4-20 mA board from source to sink"** on page 2-14.*

Connections can be made with customer-supplied cables for the current loop(s), alarm(s) and serial/Ethernet connections. Standard CAT5e Ethernet cable with

male RJ-45 termination is required to connect to the optional RS-232C to Ethernet converter. Consult the wiring diagrams in Appendix B.



Hazardous voltage and risk of electric shock. Be sure power to the analyzer is turned off before opening the electronics enclosure and making any connections.

To connect the output signals:

1. Disconnect power to the analyzer and open the electronics enclosure cover. Take care not to disturb the electrical assembly inside.
2. Run conduit from the signal/alarm receiving station to the conduit hub on the electronics enclosure labeled for signal connections.



Conduit seals should be used where appropriate in compliance with local regulations.

3. Pull the customer-supplied cable(s) for the current loop(s), alarm(s) and serial/Ethernet connections through the conduit into the electronics enclosure.
4. In keeping with best practices, run the wires through the provided ferrite.



Proper installation and use of the provided ferrite is required for electromagnetic immunity rating.

5. Wrap the wires tightly around the ferrite making sure the ferrite ends up as close to the entry point of the wires as possible, as shown in Figure 2-1.
6. Strip back the jacket and insulation of the current loop and serial cables just enough to connect to the mating terminal block (TB2), shown in Figure 2-3. The mating terminal block can be pulled up and removed from its base to make the cable connection process easier.

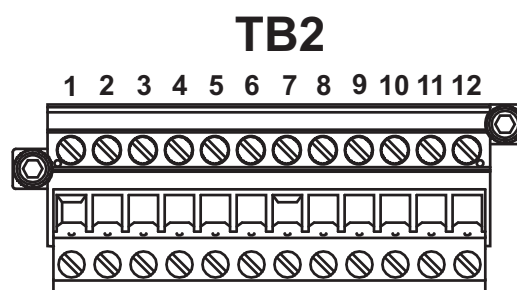


Figure 2-3 Mating terminal block (TB2) in electronics enclosure for connecting signal cables

7. Connect the 4-20 mA current loop and serial signal wires to the appropriate terminals, as indicated in Table 2-1, Table 2-2 or Table 2-3.

Table 2-1 Output signal connections (RS-232C configuration)

Terminal	Description
1	RS-232 Ch. A RX
2	RS-232 Ch. A TX
3	RS-232 Ch. A GND
4	RS-232 Ch. B RX
5	RS-232 Ch. B TX
6	RS-232 Ch. B GND
7	4-20 mA Ch. A (+)
8	4-20 mA Ch. A (-)
9	4-20 mA Ch. A GND
10	4-20 mA Ch. B (+)
11	4-20 mA Ch. B (-)
12	4-20 mA Ch. B GND

Table 2-2 Output signal connections (RS-485 configuration)

Terminal	Description
1	RS-485 Ch. A TD B (+)
2	RS-485 Ch. A TD A (-)
3	RS-485 Ch. A GND
4	RS-485 Ch. B TD B (+)
5	RS-485 Ch. B TD A (-)
6	RS-485 Ch. B GND
7	4-20 mA Ch. A (+)
8	4-20 mA Ch. A (-)
9	4-20 mA Ch. A GND
10	4-20 mA Ch. B (+)
11	4-20 mA Ch. B (-)
12	4-20 mA Ch. B GND

Table 2-3 Output signal connections (Ethernet configuration)

Terminal	Description
1	NC
2	NC
3	NC
4	NC
5	NC
6	NC
7	4-20 mA Ch. A (+)
8	4-20 mA Ch. A (-)
9	4-20 mA Ch. A GND
10	4-20 mA Ch. B (+)
11	4-20 mA Ch. B (-)
12	4-20 mA Ch. B GND

8. For systems with an optional RS-232C to Ethernet converter, plug the male RJ-45 connector directly into the converter.
9. Reinsert the mating terminal block (TB2) into its base and verify that each connection is secure.
10. Close and tighten the electronics enclosure cover.
11. To complete the connections, connect the other end of the current loop wires to a current loop receiver and each serial/Ethernet cable to a serial/Ethernet port on your computer.

Configuring the optional RS-232C/RS-485 Converter

The optional Optically Isolated RS-232C to RS-485 converter is configured for two-wire RS-485. DIP switches on the side of the converter can be used to set time-out and termination, as indicated in Table 2-4.



RS-232C must be set to 9600 (default), whereas the RS-485 should be set to match the network settings.

Table 2-4 Output signal connections (two-wire RS-485 configuration)

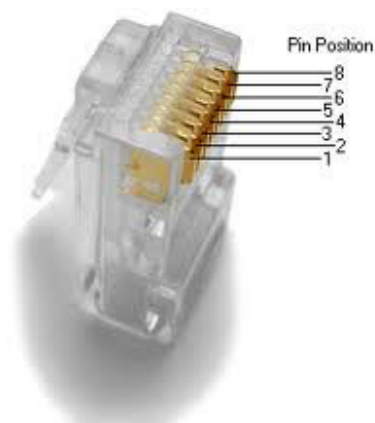
	SW1	SW2	SW3	SW4	SW5	SW6	SW7	SW8	Time-out ^a (ms)	R11 (K Ω)
RS-485 2-Wire Half Duplex	ON	ON	ON	ON						
120 Ω Built-in Termination					ON					
External or no Termination					OFF					
1200 Baud						OFF	OFF	OFF	8.330 ^b	820
2400 Baud						OFF	OFF	ON	4.160	
4800 Baud						OFF	ON	OFF	2.080	
9600 Baud						ON	OFF	OFF	1.040	
19.2K Baud						ON	ON	ON	0.580	
38.4K Baud						OFF	OFF	OFF	0.260 ²	27
57.6K Baud						OFF	OFF	OFF	0.176 ²	16
115.2K Baud						OFF	OFF	OFF	0.087 ²	8.2

a. Time-out selections are equal to one character time at the indicated baud rate.

b. To achieve this time-out, an appropriate through-hole resistor must be placed in the R11 location on the PCB.

Configuring the optional RS-232C/Ethernet Converter

The optional RS-232C to Ethernet Converter provides a standard RJ-45 connection. Refer to Figure 2-4 for an illustration of a RJ-45 connector and pin identification. Cable pin-outs for standard and crossover cables are listed in Table 2-5 and Table 2-6, respectively. For additional information about the configuration and use of the RS-232C to Ethernet converter, refer to "Ethernet Serial Server" on page 4-1.

**Figure 2-4** RJ-45 Connector



Standard Ethernet cable connection (straight-through) is used to connect devices of different types (e.g., switch to computer). Crossover cable is used to connect devices of the same type (e.g., switch to switch).

Table 2-5 Standard Ethernet cable RJ-45 pin-out

Signal	Wire Color	RJ-45 Pin		RJ-45 Pin	Wire Color
TX (+)	White-Green	1	_____	1	White-Green
TX (-)	Green	2	_____	2	Green
RX (+)	White-Orange	3	_____	3	White-Orange
NC	Blue	4	_____	4	Blue
NC	White-Blue	5	_____	5	White-Blue
RX (-)	Orange	6	_____	6	Orange
NC	White-Brown	7	_____	7	White-Brown
NC	Brown	8	_____	8	Brown

Table 2-6 Crossover Ethernet cable RJ-45 pin-out

Wire Color	RJ-45 Pin		RJ-45 Pin	Wire Color
White-Green	1		1	White-Green
Green	2		2	Green
White-Orange	3		3	White-Orange
Blue	4		4	Blue
White-Blue	5		5	White-Blue
Orange	6		6	Orange
White-Brown	7		7	White-Brown
Brown	8		8	Brown

Changing the 4-20 mA Current Loop Mode



Changing the current loop mode may negate specific hazardous area certifications. Contact your factory service representative for details.

By default, the 4-20 mA current loop output is factory set to source current. In some instances it may be necessary to change the 4-20 mA current loop output in the field from source to sink. The work must be performed by personnel qualified in electronics assembly.

To change a 4-20 mA board from source to sink:

1. Disconnect power to the analyzer and open the electronics enclosure cover. Take care not to disturb the electrical assembly inside.
2. Locate the 4-20 mA board(s) on the electronics assembly panel in the center of the electronics enclosure, as shown in Figure 1-6, Figure 1-7, Figure 1-8, Figure 1-10 or Figure 1-11.
3. Remove the jumper (JMP1) connecting the center pin to pin A. Refer to Figure 2-5.

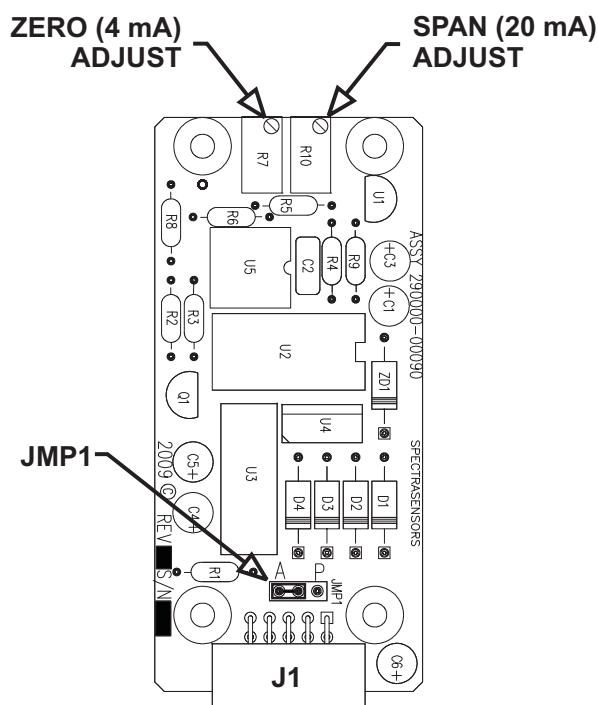


Figure 2-5 4-20 mA output board

4. Carefully replace the jumper (JMP1) connecting the center pin to pin P.
5. Repeat steps 2-4 as necessary for any remaining 4-20 mA boards.
6. Reconnect power to the analyzer. Confirm the 4 mA (min.) and 20 mA (max.) points (see **"To scale the current loop signal"** in the Firmware Operator's Manual).
7. Close and tighten the electronics enclosure cover.

Connecting the Gas Lines

Once you have verified that the analyzer is properly wired, you are ready to connect the sample supply and sample return. Consult the layout and flow diagrams in Appendix A for guidance. All work must be performed by technicians qualified in instrument tubing. SpectraSensors recommends using 1/4" O.D x 0.035" wall thickness, seamless stainless steel tubing.



Process samples may contain hazardous material in potentially flammable and/or toxic concentrations. Personnel should have a thorough knowledge and understanding of the physical properties and safety precautions for the sample contents before installing the SCS.

To connect the sample supply line:

1. First, confirm that the sample probe is correctly installed at the process supply tap and that the sample probe isolation valve is closed.



The process sample at the sample tap may be at a high pressure. Use extreme caution when operating the sample probe isolation valve and field-pressure reducing regulator.



All valves, regulators, switches, etc. should be operated in accordance with site lock-out/tag-out procedures.

2. Also confirm that the field pressure reducing station is installed properly at the sample probe and that the pressure regulator at the field pressure reducing station is closed (adjustment knob turned fully counter-clockwise).
3. Check that the relief valve vent line is properly installed from the field pressure reducing station to the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent connection.
4. Determine appropriate tubing route from the field pressure reducing station to the SCS.

5. Run stainless steel tubing from the field pressure reducing station to the sample supply port of the SCS. Bend tubing using industrial grade benders, check tubing fit to ensure proper seating between the tubing and fittings. Fully ream all tubing ends. Blow out the lines for 10–15 seconds with clean, dry nitrogen or air prior to making the connection.
6. Connect the inlet tube to the SCS using the 1/4" stainless steel compression-type fitting provided.
7. Tighten all new fittings 1-1/4 turns with a wrench from finger tight. For connections with previously swaged ferrules, thread the nut to the previously pulled up position, then tighten slightly with a wrench. Secure tubing to appropriate structural supports as required.
8. Check all connections for gas leaks. SpectraSensors recommends using a liquid leak detector.



*Do not exceed 10 PSIG (0.7 barg or 1700 mbar) in sample cell.
Damage to cell may result.*

To connect the sample return:

1. Confirm that the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve is closed.



*All valves, regulators, switches, etc. should be operated in
accordance with site lock-out/tag-out procedures.*

2. Determine appropriate tubing route from the SCS to the low-pressure flare or atmospheric vent header.
3. Run stainless steel tubing from the sample return port to the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header connection. Bend tubing using industrial grade benders, check tubing fit to ensure proper seating between the tubing and fittings. Fully ream all tubing ends. Blow out the lines for 10–15 seconds with clean, dry nitrogen or air prior to making the connection.
4. Connect the sample return tube to the SCS using the 1/2" stainless steel compression-type fitting provided.
5. Tighten all new fittings 1-1/4 turns with a wrench from finger tight.
 - a. For connections with previously swaged ferrules, thread the nut to the previously pulled up position, then tighten slightly with a wrench. Secure tubing to appropriate structural supports as required.
6. Check all connections for gas leaks. SpectraSensors recommends using a liquid leak detector.

3 - SAMPLE CONDITIONING SYSTEM



Personnel should have a thorough understanding of the operation of the analyzer and the procedures presented here before operating the sample conditioning system (SCS).



The process sample at the sample tap may be at a high pressure. A pressure reducing regulator is located at the sample tap to reduce the sample pressure and allow operation of the sample conditioning system at a low pressure. Use extreme caution when operating the sample probe isolation valve and field pressure reducing regulator.

About the SCS

SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e systems is typically ordered with an integral Sample Conditioning System (SCS). Each SCS has been specifically designed to deliver a sample stream to the analyzer that is representative of the process stream at the time of sampling. To ensure the integrity of the sample stream and its analysis, care must be taken to install and operate the SCS properly. Therefore, any personnel intending to operate or service the analyzer and SCS should have a thorough understanding of the process application and the design of the analyzer and SCS.

Most problems experienced with sample systems tend to result from operating the system differently than intended. In some cases, the actual process conditions may be different than originally specified (e.g., flow rates, presence of contaminants, particulates, or condensables that may only exist under upset conditions). By understanding the application and the design of the system, most issues can be avoided altogether or easily diagnosed and corrected to ensure successful normal operation.

For SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e Gas Analyzer systems, Natural Gas refers to low pressure gas typically consisting of a mixture of methane (CH_4) and heavier hydrocarbons. A typical Natural Gas composition is listed in Table A-6 on page A-15.



The SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e Gas Analyzer system has been calibrated specifically for the type of background stream listed in the calibration report. Significant deviations from the specified stream composition may result in erroneous readings. If your stream composition differs significantly from the composition listed, your system may have undergone custom calibration. If you are unsure, contact your factory sales representative.

Typical SCS Component Overview

All SpectraSensors TDL analyzers are designed for extractive sampling rather than in situ applications. This allows for sample conditioning, filtration, temperature, pressure and flow control to protect the optical components of the system, and provides for ease of maintenance without shutting down the process.

Some of the typical components used in the SCS will be described in this section. The SCS for your analyzer may not use all of these components, and may also include additional special devices not discussed here.



For questions regarding your SCS, please contact SpectraSensors' Service department at 1-800-619-2861, 1-713-300-2700 option #2 (International) or by email at service@spectrasensors.com.

Sample Probe

A sample probe is used to provide a representative sample of any process stream. This sample can only be made if the stream is in a vapor phase. Mixed liquid/vapor streams must be avoided, so the location of the sample probe is critical in many processes.



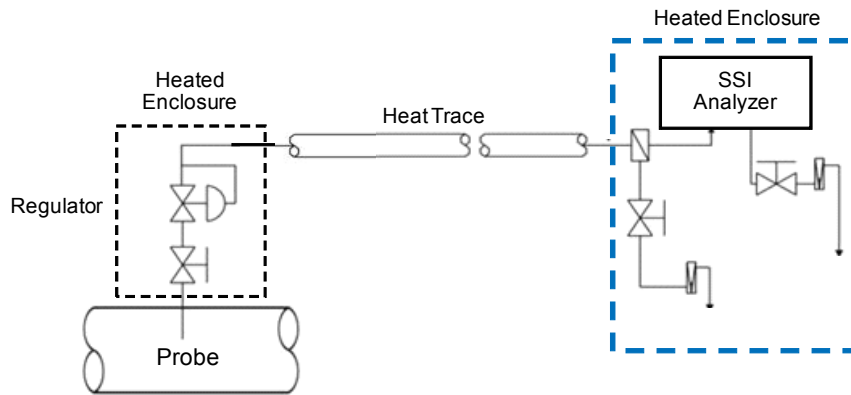
Contact your SpectraSensors' Sales representative to provide the temperature, pressure and complete stream composition of the process stream for advise and recommendations regarding locating the sample point.

A representative sample of the process can only be taken away from the wall of the process piping. Also, dirt and liquids tend to accumulate close to the walls of the piping, especially near the bottom of horizontal runs of pipe. Therefore, SpectraSensors recommends probes that fit well into the pipe. These may be removable to protect the probe from pipeline "pigging".

Sample Regulators at the Probe

The pressure of the sample gas is usually reduced at or very close to the sample probe, sometimes in the probe itself, to reduce the sample transport lag time to deliver the sample to the analyzer. A guard filter is typically used to protect the regulator from larger particulates in the sample.

Refer to the following diagram that shows the interface of the probe and the analyzer system. The analyzer system provided by SpectraSensors is represented by the blue dashed outline. The probe and field pressure reducing station may also be supplied by SpectraSensors, but is separate from the analyzer system.



Sample Conditioning System Filters

A guard filter is typically installed at the inlet to the SCS with a fine element to protect the flow controllers, flow meters and pressure regulators from fine particulates.

A bypass filter with a fritted metal, glass fiber or polymeric membrane filter may also be in place to remove larger quantities of particulates or entrained liquids and mists. Some filters may fit with liquid knock-out traps to protect the system from free liquids.

Accumulation of liquids in these filters, or a steady flow of liquid from a liquid knock-out trap, should be investigated and corrected immediately as this is generally an abnormal condition.

Sample Regulator Heaters

In most applications, the process sample is at high pressure. When the pressure is reduced, the sample cools due to the Joule-Thompson effect.¹ The amount of cooling varies greatly depending on the application, but oftentimes must be offset using a heated sample regulator to prevent condensation of some sample components. Sample probe regulators can be electrically or steam heated. Some probes have the pressure reducing valve parts inserted into the process piping, so that the Joule-Thompson cooling is offset by warming from the flowing sample. Note that for these probes to work correctly, the process gas must be flowing anytime the sample is flowing or liquid condensation may collect in the sample transport line, or even freeze up the sample probe regulator. Refer to Appendix A for the proper regulator pressure setting.

¹ Named for James Prescott Joule and William Thomson, the Joules-Thompson effect describes the increase or decrease in temperature that accompanies the expansion of gas without production of work or transfer of heat. The cooling occurs because work must be done to overcome the long-range attraction between the gas molecules as they move farther apart. (www.britannica.com)

Sample Transport Tubing

Sample transport tubing must be made of an appropriate material, which may be coated, and of an appropriate diameter for the application. Many times the sample transport tubing must be heat-traced to prevent sample condensation or to prevent fluctuations in measurement due to changes in ambient temperature. Refer to Appendix A for SpectraSensors' recommended sample transport tubing specifications.

Sample Bypass Flow Control

A sample bypass flow control valve and flowmeters are usually provided to maintain a flow of fresh sample to the SCS even during system shut-down. The flow control valve is typically a needle valve and should be closed very gently and carefully if used to shut off flow completely to avoid damaging the valve. If the bypass flowmeter has a glass tube, perform an occasional check for evidence of liquid in the tube. If liquid is found in the bypass or sample cell flowmeter tubes, investigate and correct immediately.

SCS Pressure Regulator

All SpectraSensors' TDL cells are limited to a maximum 10 PSIG pressure. To ensure that this pressure is not exceeded, a pressure regulator is provided inside the sample system. Refer to Appendix A for the correct pressure setting for this regulator.

Sample Cell Flow Controller

A sample cell flow controller is normally provided with the SCS. Typically a flow control needle valve and flowmeter similar to the sample bypass are used, but in some cases a differential flow controller is used. As with the bypass flow control valve, if the flow control needle valve and flowmeter must be used for sample shut-off, close the valve gently and carefully to avoid damage.

Validation Systems

Validation of the analyzer performance can be accomplished by comparison to other analyzers, portable measurement devices, or by validation using a cylinder standard.

Refer to Appendix A for details of the validation system used in your system.

Sample Return/Vent

Tunable diode laser spectroscopy is inherently sensitive to sample pressure in the measurement cell, so the analyzers are calibrated for a range of sample pressures. Most applications benefit from operation at low pressures instead of high pressures. Sometimes the analyzer is designed to vent the sample to atmosphere or an atmospheric pressure return system. Return to a flare or

other sample return must recognize the pressure limitations of the cell and also the calibration of the analyzer.

SCS Heaters

Many analyzer systems have heated SCS enclosures. In many cases, this is only to avoid condensation of sample components.

When starting up the heated SCS, follow the general guidelines below:

1. Energize power to the SCS and allow it to warm up to a level close to the SCS sample temperature setpoint.
2. Start the sample flow and set to the specified flow rates.
3. Allow the system temperature to stabilize.
4. Energize power to the analyzer controller and ignore any error messages that are seen on the display during the temperature stabilization period.
5. Once the analyzer has been allowed to thermally stabilize, be sure to enable Peak Tracking and any other software features as directed in the chapter called "Operating the Analyzer" in the Firmware Operator's Manual.

Checking the SCS Installation

The integral SCS is factory set with the appropriate pressures, flow rates, and enclosure temperature, as indicated in the system drawings (refer to Appendix A). However, before operating the system for the first time, a careful check of the installation of the entire SCS from the sample probe to the return vent is recommended. SpectraSensors also recommends purging the transport line to confirm there is no dust, particulates or liquids that were trapped during installation.

To perform SCS installation checks:

1. Confirm that the sample probe is correctly installed at the process supply tap and that the sample probe isolation valve is closed.
2. Confirm that the field pressure reducing station is installed properly at the sample probe.
3. Confirm that the relief valve vent line is properly installed from the field pressure reducing station or the SCS to the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent connection.
4. If applicable, confirm that the sample probe and field pressure reducing station are properly traced and insulated without any exposed surfaces.
5. If applicable, confirm that the field run electric-traced sample transport tubing is installed correctly (no exposed tubing or

pockets), terminated properly at each end, and that each line has been purged clean and pressure tested.

6. Confirm that all valves are closed and all switches are off.
7. Confirm that the AC power is available to the electrically traced sample tubing (if applicable), analyzer, and SCS, but that the local switches are off.
8. Confirm that the field analog and alarm signal wiring is interconnected properly (see **"Connecting the Output Signals and Alarms"** on page 2-8).
9. Confirm that the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent is properly connected.
10. Confirm that the analyzer house atmospheric vent is properly installed, if applicable.
11. Confirm that all sample system tubing has been thoroughly leak checked.

Starting up the SCS

After the SCS installation has been thoroughly checked, you are ready to begin preparing for initial SCS startup.

To prepare for SCS startup:

1. Confirm that all AC power switches for the analyzer and SCS are off.
2. If applicable, apply AC power to the electric heat-traced sample transport tubing at the tracer control system.



Personnel should have a thorough understanding of the operation of the heat tracer power supply and control system, if applicable, before operating the SCS.

3. If applicable, confirm that the sample supply line electric heat tracer temperature controller is set and that the sample supply line tracer is heating to the appropriate temperature.
4. Confirm that the sample probe isolation valve is closed.
5. Confirm that the pressure regulator at the field pressure reducing station is closed (adjustment knob turned fully counterclockwise).
6. Confirm that all sample system shut-off valves are closed.

7. Confirm that the sample bypass and analyzer flowmeter control valves are gently closed (adjustment knob turned clockwise).



Do not overtighten the control valves or damage could occur.

To start up the field pressure reducing station:



The process sample at the sample tap may be at a high pressure. Use extreme caution when operating the sample probe isolation valve and field pressure reducing regulator.

1. Disconnect the sample transport tubing at the SCS and temporarily run to a new, safe location (vent or flare).
2. Open the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve, if applicable, for the relief valve vent from the field pressure reducing station.



The low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve must be "car-sealed" open and tagged as a relief valve vent so that this valve will not be closed unless the SCS is not in operation.

3. Slowly open the sample probe process shut-off valve at the sample supply tap.
4. Slowly open the pressure regulator at the field pressure reducing station (adjustment knob turned clockwise) and set the pressure regulator to the specified pressure. Refer to the system drawings in Appendix A.
5. Blow sample through the sample transport tubing to flare or safe vent to ensure that dirt or liquids are not in the sample tubing.
6. Reconnect the sample transport tubing and set the pressure regulator to the specified pressure.

To start up the sample bypass stream on process sample:

1. Ensure the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve is opened for the bypass flow effluent from the SCS.
2. Open the sample supply shut-off valve.
3. Open the bypass flowmeter control valve to establish sample flow from the sample probe and set the flowmeter control valve to the specified value. Refer to the system drawings in Appendix A.



Do not open the cell flowmeter at this point.

4. Confirm that the sample supply pressure is set to the approximate pressure specified under flowing conditions. Refer to the system drawings in Appendix A.



Make sure that no liquid, solids, etc. are flowing through the bypass by viewing the flowmeter. If substances are present, shut down the system and purge the lines.



Although the exact supply pressure setpoint is not critical, the pressure at the sample system should be within 5 PSIG of the specified supply pressure setpoint. There may be a difference between the pressure readings at the sample tap and inside the SCS due to the pressure drop in the sample transport line under flowing conditions. If the pressure at the SCS under flowing conditions is not sufficiently close to the specified setpoint, it will be necessary to readjust the pressure regulator setpoint at the field pressure reducing station to provide the required supply pressure with the specified sample bypass flow.

To start up the analyzer on process sample:



This procedure can be completed during the system warm-up process. Refer to the system drawings in Appendix A for all recommended settings.

1. Ensure the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve is opened for the sample flow effluent from the SCS.
2. Open the sample flowmeter control valve(s) to approximately the specified flow for each measurement cell. Refer to the system drawings in Appendix A.
3. If required, adjust each sample pressure regulator to the specified setpoint for each measurement cell.
4. Adjust the sample flowmeter control valve(s) to the specified flows for the measurement cells.



The adjustment setpoints of the analyzer flowmeters and pressure regulators will be iterative and may require multiple adjustments until the final setpoints are obtained.



The analyzer system has been designed for the sample flow rate specified. A lower than specified sample flow rate may adversely affect analyzer performance. If you are unable to attain the specified sample flow rate, contact your factory sales representative.

5. Confirm the sample flow and pressure setpoints and re-adjust the control valve(s) and pressure regulator to the specified setpoints, if necessary.
6. Confirm the sample bypass flow and re-adjust the control valve to the specified setpoint, if necessary. The SCS is now operating with the process sample.
7. Power up the analyzer according to the procedure given under **"Powering Up the Analyzer"** in the Firmware Operator's Manual.
8. After sufficient warm-up time, if applicable, confirm that the sample system enclosure is heated to the specified temperature by observing the temperature reading on the analyzer display.

Shutting Down the SCS

Situations may occur that require the shutdown of some or all of the SCS. These circumstances may include short-term shutdown for repairs or parts replacements, for example, or a long-term shutdown of the system for packing and storing.



Process samples may contain hazardous material in potentially flammable and/or toxic concentrations. Personnel should have a thorough knowledge and understanding of the physical properties and safety precautions for the sample contents before operating the SCS.



The process sample at the sample tap is at a high pressure. A pressure reducing regulator is located at the sample tap to reduce the sample pressure and enable operation of the SCS at a low pressure. Use extreme caution when operating the sample probe isolation valve and field pressure reducing regulator.



All valves, regulators, switches, etc. should be operated in accordance with site lock-out/tag-out procedures.

To isolate the measurement sample cell for short-term shutdown:

The analyzer can be isolated from the primary sample bypass section for short-term shutdown or maintenance of the analyzer while allowing the sample bypass flow to continue in a steady-state mode.



Due to the high pressure of the process sample, it is advisable to allow the sample bypass flow to continue during short-term isolation of the analyzer. Continuing sample bypass flow allows the field pressure regulator to continue normal operation without possible overpressure and activation of the relief valve in the event the pressure regulator leaks when the downstream flow is discontinued.

1. Close the sample flowmeter control valve(s) (adjustment knob turned clockwise) for each measurement channel. Do not over-tighten the control valve(s) or damage could occur.
2. Allow any residual gas to flow out of the measurement cells.



Never purge the analyzer with air or nitrogen while the system is powered up.

3. Close the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve for the effluent from each measurement cell.



If the system will not be out of service for an extended period, SpectraSensors advises that power remain applied to the sample transport line electric tracer and the sample system enclosure heater, if applicable.

To isolate the SCS for short-term shutdown:

The SCS can be isolated from the process sample tap for short-term shutdown or maintenance of the SCS without requiring the shutdown of the field pressure reducing station.



Process samples may contain hazardous material in potentially flammable and/or toxic concentrations. Personnel should have a thorough knowledge and understanding of the physical properties and safety precautions for the sample contents before operating the SCS.



Although the pressure reducing regulator at the process sample tap is designed for "bubble-tight" shut off, this condition may not occur after the system has been in operation for an extended period. Isolation of the SCS from the field pressure regulator will discontinue sample flow and may cause the pressure at the outlet of the field pressure regulator to slowly increase if "bubble-tight" shut off of the pressure regulator does not occur. The slow pressure increase will continue until the pressure setpoint of the relief valve is reached and the excess pressure is vented by the relief valve. To prevent this, isolate the sample at the probe or vent the sample to a safe location.

1. Isolate the analyzer from the bypass following the procedure under **"To isolate the measurement sample cell for short-term shutdown"** on page 3-10.
2. Close the sample supply shut-off valve to the SCS.
3. Allow the sample bypass to flow until all residual gas has dissipated from the lines as indicated by no flow on the sample bypass flowmeter.
4. Close the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve for the effluent from the sample bypass.
5. Turn off power to the analyzer.



If the system will not be out of service for an extended period, SpectraSensors advises that power remain applied to the sample transport line electric tracer and the sample system enclosure heater, if applicable.

To isolate the process sample tap for long-term shutdown:

If the SCS is to be out of service for an extended period, the SCS must be isolated at the process sample tap.



The process sample at the sample tap may be at a high pressure. A pressure reducing regulator is located at the sample tap to reduce the sample pressure and allow operation of the SCS at a low pressure. Use extreme caution when operating the sample probe isolation valve and field pressure reducing regulator.



The sample transport line must be vented to the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header through the bypass flowmeter to avoid pressure surges. The procedure given in the following steps can be followed regardless of whether or not the SCS has been isolated from the process tap as described in the previous section.



All valves, regulators, switches, etc. should be operated in accordance with site lock-out/tag-out procedures.

1. Isolate the analyzer from the bypass following the procedure under **"To isolate the measurement sample cell for short-term shutdown"** on page 3-10.
2. Confirm flow in the sample bypass flowmeter (the actual flow is not critical).
3. Close the sample probe process shut-off valve at the sample supply process tap.
4. Allow pressure in the field pressure reducing regulator to dissipate until only a low residual pressure is indicated on the pressure gauge at the field station.
5. Close the field pressure reducing regulator (adjustment knob turned fully counterclockwise).
6. Close the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve for the relief valve vent from the field pressure regulator.
7. Close the sample supply shut-off valve to the SCS.
8. Leave the sample bypass flowmeter control valve open.
9. Close the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve for the effluent from the sample bypass.
10. Turn off power to the analyzer.
11. Turn off the AC power to the SCS heater and the sample tracer, if applicable, at the power distribution panel.



Although power could be shut off to the sample supply electric tracer, it is advisable to allow this line to remain heated unless the SCS is to be out of service for an extended period or maintenance is required on the line.

To purge the analyzer for shipment/relocation:

1. Refer to the procedure **"To isolate the process sample tap for long-term shutdown"** on page 3-11.
2. Disconnect the sample tubing at the inlet to the analyzer. Refer to drawings in Appendix A.
3. Connect clean, dry nitrogen to the sample inlet. Set to 30 PSIG.
4. Open the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve for the effluent from the sample bypass.
5. Allow the analyzer to purge for 20 minutes.
6. Shut off the nitrogen purge and disconnect.

7. Close the low pressure flare or atmospheric vent header shut-off valve for the effluent from the sample bypass.
8. Cap off all connections.

Periodic SCS Maintenance



Due to the chemical properties of the process samples, care must be taken to repair or replace components with proper materials of construction. Maintenance personnel should have a thorough knowledge and understanding of the chemical characteristics of the process before performing maintenance on the SCS.

The status of the SCS should be checked regularly to confirm proper operation (pressures, flows, etc.) and detect potential problems or failures before damage occurs. If maintenance is required, isolate the part of the system to be serviced by following the appropriate procedure under **"Shutting Down the SCS"** on page 3-9.

All filter elements should be checked periodically for loading. Obstruction of a filter element can be observed by a decreasing supply pressure or bypass flow. If loading of a filter is observed, the filter should be cleaned and the filter element replaced. Refer to **"Replacing the Filter"** on page B-15. After observation for some time, a regular schedule can be determined for replacement of filter elements.

No other regularly scheduled maintenance should be required for the system.

Preventive and Demand SCS Maintenance



Due to the chemical properties of the process samples, care must be taken to repair or replace components with proper materials of construction. Maintenance personnel should have a thorough knowledge and understanding of the chemical characteristics of the process before performing maintenance on the SCS.

Preventive and demand maintenance will be required when components and parts deteriorate or fail as a result of continuous use. The performance of the entire SCS and individual components should be monitored regularly so that maintenance may be performed on a scheduled basis in order to prevent a failure that could take the system out of operation.

The SCS is designed for convenient removal and replacement of component parts. Complete spare components should always be available. In general, if a problem or failure occurs, the complete part should be removed and replaced to limit system down time. Some components may be repaired (replacement of seats and seals, etc.) and then reused.

If the sample supply line does not appear to completely clear during normal operation, it may be necessary to clean the sample transport line to remove

any liquid that may adhere to the wall of the tubing. The sample transport line should be purged dry with air or nitrogen before the system is placed back in operation.



The analyzer must be taken out of service during any cleaning of the sample transport line.

If liquid makes it into the analyzer SCS, a filter element may become obstructed leading to a decreasing supply pressure or bypass flow. If obstruction of a filter is observed, the filter should be cleaned and the filter element replaced.

Regular SCS Status Check

1. Open the SCS door.
2. Read and record the flowmeter settings while the gas is flowing.
3. Close the SCS door.



Do not leave the SCS door open any longer than absolutely necessary. SpectraSensors recommends no more than 60 seconds.

4. Compare the current readings with the past readings to determine any variations. Reading levels should remain consistent.
5. If reading levels decrease, check the filters.

To check filters:

1. Shut down the system following the procedure in **"Shutting Down the SCS"** on page 3-9.
2. Inspect, repair or replace the filter as required. Refer to **"Replacing the Filter"** on page B-15.



For additional information, contact SpectraSensors' Technical Service Group at 1-800-619-2861.

3. Restart the system following the procedure in **"Starting up the SCS"** on page 3-6.

4 - ETHERNET SERIAL SERVER

SpectraSensors SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e analyzers operate with the Vlinx **ESP902 Ethernet Serial Server** that provides Serial-to-Ethernet conversion. The following information is provided for additional instruction for installing and configuring the ESP902 Ethernet Serial Server.



The instructions contained in this chapter assume operation will be conducted by a user with experience in network configuration.

Software Installation

1. Connect a standard Ethernet cable to the ESP902 unit if connecting to your network, or a crossover cable if connecting directly to a computer.
 - a. The default IP address is 192.168.0.1.
2. Insert the software CD (or download from the manufacturer's website - http://www.bb-elec.com/ESP90x_Software.asp; from the "Software" list select 'Vlinx Vx.x.x.x Software'). The software should autostart into the installation wizard.
3. Follow the on-screen installation wizard to install the Vlinx ESP Manager software.

Configuration

1. From the computer, click Start\Programs\B&B Electronics\Vlinx\ESP Servers\Vlinx ESP Manager.
 - a. A search for the attached ESP902 device should autostart on startup.



The device must reside on the same subnet to be seen by the Vlinx ESP Manager software for first-time discovery.

2. Double-click on the device name from the unit list.
3. Use the Vlinx ESP Manager software to configure the unit for network information, serial device configurations, timeouts, etc.
 - a. The default password = <blank>.
 - b. Reboot as necessary.

Virtual COM Port Installation

If it is necessary to access the instrument Ethernet data so that it appears to be from a serial port, use the following steps:

1. From the computer, click Start\Programs\B&B Electronics\Vlinx\Install Virtual COM.
2. Search for all devices.
 - a. The device must be in the same subnet. If not, type the specific IP address.
3. Double-click on the device name from the unit list.



Verify that you have administrative rights and disable firewalls for Windows XP/Vista.



The device must reside on the same subnet to be seen by the Vlinx ESP Manager software for first-time discovery.

4. Follow the on-screen instructions and install to a COM number. COM 5 or above is typically used to limit interference with existing real COM ports.
5. Use HyperTerminal to verify that the VCOM just created can be opened.

Connecting to SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e without Software Setup

Use the following procedure to connect to the SS500e, SS2000e, or SS3000e analyzer using the VLINX Ethernet Serial Server when accessing the manufacturer software is not an option.



These instructions assume that the user computer is using a version of Windows operating system (i.e., 2000, XP, Vista, etc.).

1. Connect a crossover cable to the Ethernet port on your computer and attach the other end to the Ethernet Server.
2. The default IP address for the Ethernet Server is 192.168.0.1. If your computer is already assigned an IP address on the same subnet (192.168.0.xxx), then go directly to step 4. (If step 4 does not work, you are probably not on the same subnet.)

3. For a Windows computer, use the following steps as a guideline (these steps may vary slightly depending on your specific set up):
 - a. Go to Network Connections\Local Area Connection\Properties.
 - b. Highlight Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) and click "Properties."
 - c. Set an IP address on the same subnet, 192.168.0.xxx (e.g., 192.168.0.10), and a subnet mask of 255.255.255.0.
 - d. Click on OK.
4. Open a web browser and type in the default IP address of the Ethernet Server, 192.168.0.1.
5. Press ENTER. A web page from the Ethernet Server will display with all the necessary settings to configure it for your network.
6. When finished, click SAVE.
7. For more details see the B&B Electronics manual for the ESP902 Serial Server.

Firewall Ports

Refer to Table 4-1 for ports to open in firewall.

Table 4-1 Ports to open in firewall

Ports	Function
5300	Heartbeat and configuration setting in TCP mode (i.e., pair tunneling mode)
8888	Vlinx update
8889	Configuration setting in UDP mode
8890	Vlinx monitor
4000/1/2/3	VCOM

Additional Information

For more information, please contact the equipment manufacturer:

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Appendix A: Specifications

Table A-1 SS500e H₂O analyzer specifications

Performance	
Concentration ^a	2–20 lbs/MMscf (38–422 ppmv) 2–50 lbs/MMscf (38–1055 ppmv) 2–100 lbs MMscf (38–2110 ppmv)
Repeatability	±0.5 lb/MMSCF (±10 ppmv) or ±2% of reading
Response time ^b	0.25–2 seconds (dependent on flow rate and sample system volume)
Application Data	
Environmental Temperature Range	–4 to 122 °F (–20 to 50 °C) 15 to 140 °F (–10 to 60 °C) - <i>Optional</i>
Environmental Relative Humidity	Maximum of 95% relative humidity, non-condensing
Altitude	Up to 4000 m
Maximum Cell Pressure	70 kPaG (10 PSIG)
Sample Cell Pressure Range	700–1400 mbara 700–1700 mbara - <i>Optional</i>
Sample Flow Rate	1–2 scfh (0.5–1.0 LPM)
Contaminant Sensitivity	None for gas phase glycol, methanol, amines, hydrogen sulfides or mercaptans.
Electrical & Communications	
Input Voltages ^c	100–240 VAC, 50/60 Hz 18–24 VDC - <i>Optional</i>
Contact Rating (Inductive Load)	AC-15 250V, 3 A N.O. contact, 1.5 A N.C. contact DC-13 24V, 1 A N.O. contact and N.C. contact
Current (unheated)	1 A max @ 120 VAC, 1.6 A max @ 24 VDC
Current (optional condens. protection heater)	2 A max @ 120 VAC
Communication	Analog: Two 4–20mA Isolated, 1200 ohms @ 24 VDC max load Serial: RS-232C - <i>Standard</i> , RS-485 and Ethernet - <i>Optional</i> Protocol: Modbus Gould RTU, Daniel RTU or ASCII
Digital Outputs	2, General Fault and Concentration Alarm
LCD Display	Concentration, cell pressure, temperature alarms and diagnostics
Physical Specifications	
Size	973 mm H x 406 mm W x 231 mm D (38.3" H x 16" W x 9.06" D)
Weight	Approx. 75 lbs (34 Kg)
Sample Cell Construction	316L Series Polished Stainless Steel
Certification	
Area Classification	CSA Class I, Division 2, Groups B, C & D; Temp code T3C (T3 with heaters)
CE Directives	EN61326-1 (2006) Class A ^d , EN61010-1 (2001-2)

a. Consult factory for alternative ranges.

b. Software adjustable.

c. Supply voltage not to exceed ±10% of nominal. Transient over-voltages according to Overvoltage Category II.

d. Not applicable to systems with optional heat trace connection kit.

Table A-2 SS2000e H₂O analyzer specifications

Performance	
Concentration ^a	0.5–20 lbs/MMscf (0–422 ppmv) 0.5–50 lbs/MMscf (0–1055 ppmv) 0.5–100 lbs/MMscf (0–2110 ppmv)
Repeatability	±0.2 lb/MMscf (±4 ppmv) or ±2% of reading
Response time ^b	0.25–2 seconds (dependent on flow rate and sample system volume)
Application Data	
Environmental Temperature Range	-4 to 122 °F (-20 to 50 °C) 15 to 140 °F (-10 to 60 °C) - <i>Optional</i>
Environmental Relative Humidity	Maximum of 95% relative humidity, non-condensing
Altitude	Up to 4000 m
Maximum Cell Pressure	70 kPaG (10 PSIG)
Sample Cell Pressure Range	700–1400 mbara 700–1700 mbara - <i>Optional</i>
Sample Flow Rate	1–2 scfh (0.5–1.0 LPM)
Contaminant Sensitivity	None for gas phase glycol, methanol, amines, hydrogen sulfides or mercaptans.
Electrical & Communications	
Input Voltages ^c	100–240 VAC, 50/60 Hz 18–24 VDC - <i>Optional</i>
Contact Rating (Inductive Load)	AC-15 250V, 3 A N.O. contact, 1.5 A N.C. contact DC-13 24V, 1 A N.O. contact and N.C. contact
Current (unheated)	1 A max @ 120 VAC, 1.6 A max @ 24 VDC
Current (optional condens. protection heater)	2 A max @ 120 VAC
Communication	Analog: (2) 4–20mA Isolated, 1200 ohms @ 24 VDC max load Serial: RS-232C - <i>Standard</i> , RS-485 and Ethernet - <i>Optional</i> Protocol: Modbus Gould RTU, Daniel RTU or ASCII
Digital Outputs	2, General Fault and Concentration/Assignable Alarm
LCD Display	Concentration, cell pressure, temperature, alarms and diagnostics
Physical Specifications	
Size	973 mm H x 406 mm W x 229 mm D (38.3" H x 16" W x 9" D)
Weight	Approx. 75 lbs (34 Kg)
Sample Cell Construction	316L Series Polished Stainless Steel
Certification	
Area Classification	Class I, Division 2, Groups B, C & D; Temp code T3C (T3 with heaters)
CE Directives	EN61326-1 (2006) Class A ^d , EN61010-1 (2001-2)

a. Consult factory for alternative ranges.

b. Software adjustable.

c. Supply voltage not to exceed ±10% of nominal. Transient over-voltages according to Over-voltage Category II.

d. Not applicable to systems with optional heat trace connection kit.

Table A-3 SS2000e CO₂ analyzer specifications

Performance	
Concentration ^a	0-5%, 0-10%, 0-20%
Repeatability	±400 ppmv or ±2% of reading
Response time ^b	0.25-2 seconds (dependent on flow rate and sample system volume)
Application Data	
Environmental Temperature Range	-4 to 122 °F (-20 to 50 °C) 15 to 140 °F (-10 to 60 °C) - <i>Optional</i>
Environmental Relative Humidity	Maximum of 95% relative humidity, non-condensing
Altitude	Up to 4000 m
Maximum Cell Pressure	70 kPaG (10 PSIG)
Sample Cell Pressure Range	700-1400 mbara 700-1700 mbara - <i>Optional</i>
Sample Flow Rate	1-2 scfh (0.5-1.0 LPM)
Contaminant Sensitivity	None for gas phase glycol, methanol, amines, hydrogen sulfides or mercaptans.
Electrical & Communications	
Input Voltages ^c	100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz 18-24 VDC - <i>Optional</i>
Contact Rating (Inductive Load)	AC-15 250V, 3 A N.O. contact, 1.5 A N.C. contact DC-13 24V, 1 A N.O. contact and N.C. contact
Current (unheated)	1 A max @ 120 VAC, 1.6 A max @ 24 VDC
Current (optional condens. protection heater)	2 A max @ 120 VAC
Communication	Analog: (2) 4-20mA Isolated, 1200 ohms @ 24 VDC max load Serial: RS-232C - <i>Standard</i> , RS-485 and Ethernet - <i>Optional</i> Protocol: Modbus Gould RTU, Daniel RTU or ASCII
Digital Outputs	2, General Fault and Concentration/Assignable Alarm
LCD Display	Concentration, cell pressure, temperature, alarms and diagnostics
Physical Specifications	
Size	973 mm H x 406 mm W x 229 mm D (38.3" H x 16" W x 9" D)
Weight	Approx. 75 lbs (34 Kg)
Sample Cell Construction	316L Series Polished Stainless Steel
Certification	
Area Classification	Class I, Division 2, Groups B, C & D; Temp code T3C (T3 with heaters)
CE Directives	EN61326-1 (2006) Class A ^d , EN61010-1 (2001-2)

a. Consult factory for alternative ranges.

b. Software adjustable.

c. Supply voltage not to exceed ±10% of nominal. Transient over-voltages according to Overvoltage Category II.

d. Not applicable to systems with optional heat trace connection kit.

Table A-4 SS3000e H₂O/H₂O analyzer specifications

Performance	
Concentration ^a	0.5–20 lbs/MMscf (0–422 ppmv) 0.5–50 lbs/MMscf (0–1055 ppmv) 0.5–100 lbs/MMscf (0–2110 ppmv)
Repeatability	±0.2 lb/MMscf(±4 ppmv) or ±2% of reading
Response time ^b	0.25–2 seconds (dependent on flow rate and sample system volume)
Application Data	
Environmental Temperature Range	-4 to 122 °F (-20 to 50 °C) 15 to 140 °F (-10 to 60 °C) - <i>Optional</i>
Environmental Relative Humidity	Maximum of 95% relative humidity, non-condensing
Altitude	Up to 4000 m
Maximum Cell Pressure	70 kPaG (10 psig)
Sample Cell Pressure Range	700–1400 mbara 700–1700 mbara - <i>Optional</i>
Sample Flow Rate	1–2 scfh (0.5–1.0 LPM)
Contaminant Sensitivity	None for gas phase glycol, methanol, amines, hydrogen sulfides or mercaptans.
Electrical & Communications	
Input Voltages ^c	100–240 VAC, 50/60 Hz 18–24 VDC - <i>Optional</i>
Contact Rating (Inductive Load)	AC-15 250V, 3 A N.O. contact, 1.5 A N.C. contact DC-13 24V, 1 A N.O. contact and N.C. contact
Current (unheated)	1 A max @ 120 VAC, 1.6 A max @ 24 VDC
Current (optional condens. protection heater)	2 A max @ 120 VAC
Communication	Analog: (2) 4–20mA Isolated, 1200 ohms @ 24 VDC max load Serial: RS-232C - <i>Standard</i> , RS-485 and Ethernet - <i>Optional</i> Protocol: Modbus Gould RTU, Daniel RTU or ASCII
Digital Outputs	2, General Fault and Concentration/Assignable Alarm
LCD Display	Concentration, cell pressure, temperature, alarms and diagnostic
Physical Specifications	
Size	1074 mm H x 508 mm W x 281 mm D (42.3" H x 20" W x 11.06" D)
Weight	Approx. 100 lbs (45 Kg)
Sample Cell Construction	316L Series Polished Stainless Steel
Certification	
CSA	Class I, Division 2, Groups B, C & D; Temp code T3C (T3 with heaters)
CE Directives	EN61326-1 (2006) Class A ^d , EN61010-1 (2001-2)

a. Consult factory for alternative ranges.

b. Software adjustable.

c. Supply voltage not to exceed ±10% of nominal. Transient over-voltages according to Over-voltage Category II.

d. Not applicable to systems with optional heat trace connection kit.

Table A-5 SS3000e H₂O/CO₂ analyzer specifications

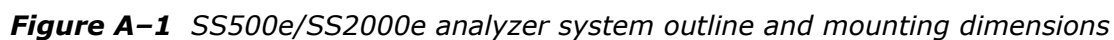
Performance	
Concentration (H ₂ O) ^a	0.5–20 lbs/MMscf (0–422 ppmv) 0.5–50 lbs/MMscf (0–1055 ppmv) 0.5–100 lbs/MMscf (0–2110 ppmv)
Repeatability (H ₂ O)	±0.2 lb/MMSCF (±4 ppmv) or ±2% of reading
Concentration (CO ₂) ^a	0–5%, 0–10%, 0–20%
Repeatability (CO ₂)	±400 ppmv or ± 2% of reading
Response time ^b	0.25–2 seconds (dependent on flow rate and sample system volume)
Application Data	
Environmental Temperature Range	–4 to 122 °F (–20 to 50 °C) 15 to 140 °F (–10 to 60 °C) - <i>Optional</i>
Environmental Relative Humidity	Maximum of 95% relative humidity, non-condensing
Altitude	Up to 4000 m
Maximum Cell Pressure	70 kPaG (10 psig)
Sample Cell Pressure Range	700–1400 mbara 700–1700 mbara - <i>Optional</i>
Sample Flow Rate	1–2 scfh (0.5–1.0 LPM)
Contaminant Sensitivity	None for gas phase glycol, methanol, amines, hydrogen sulfides or mercaptans.
Electrical & Communications	
Input Voltages ^c	100–240 VAC, 50/60 Hz 18–24 VDC - <i>Optional</i>
Current (unheated)	1 A max @ 120 VAC, 1.6 A max @ 24 VDC
Current (optional condens. protection heater)	2 A max @ 120 VAC
Communication	Analog: (2) 4–20mA Isolated, 1200 ohms @ 24 VDC max load Serial: RS-232C - <i>Standard</i> , RS-485 and Ethernet - <i>Optional</i> Protocol: Modbus Gould RTU, Daniel RTU or ASCII
Digital Outputs	2, General Fault and Concentration/Assignable Alarm
LCD Display	Concentration, cell pressure, temperature, alarms & diagnostics
Physical Specifications	
Size	1074 mm H x 508 mm W x 281 mm D (42.3" H x 20" W x 11.06" D)
Weight	Approx. 85 lbs (38.6 Kg)
Sample Cell Construction	316L Series Polished Stainless Steel
Certification	
CSA	Class I, Division 2, Groups B, C & D; Temp code T3C (T3 with heaters)
CE 987654321	EN61326-1 (2006) Class A ^d , EN61010-1 (2001-2)

a. Consult factory for alternative ranges.

b. Software adjustable.

c. Supply voltage not to exceed ±10% of nominal. Transient over-voltages according to Overvoltage Category II.

d. Not applicable to systems with optional heat trace connection kit.



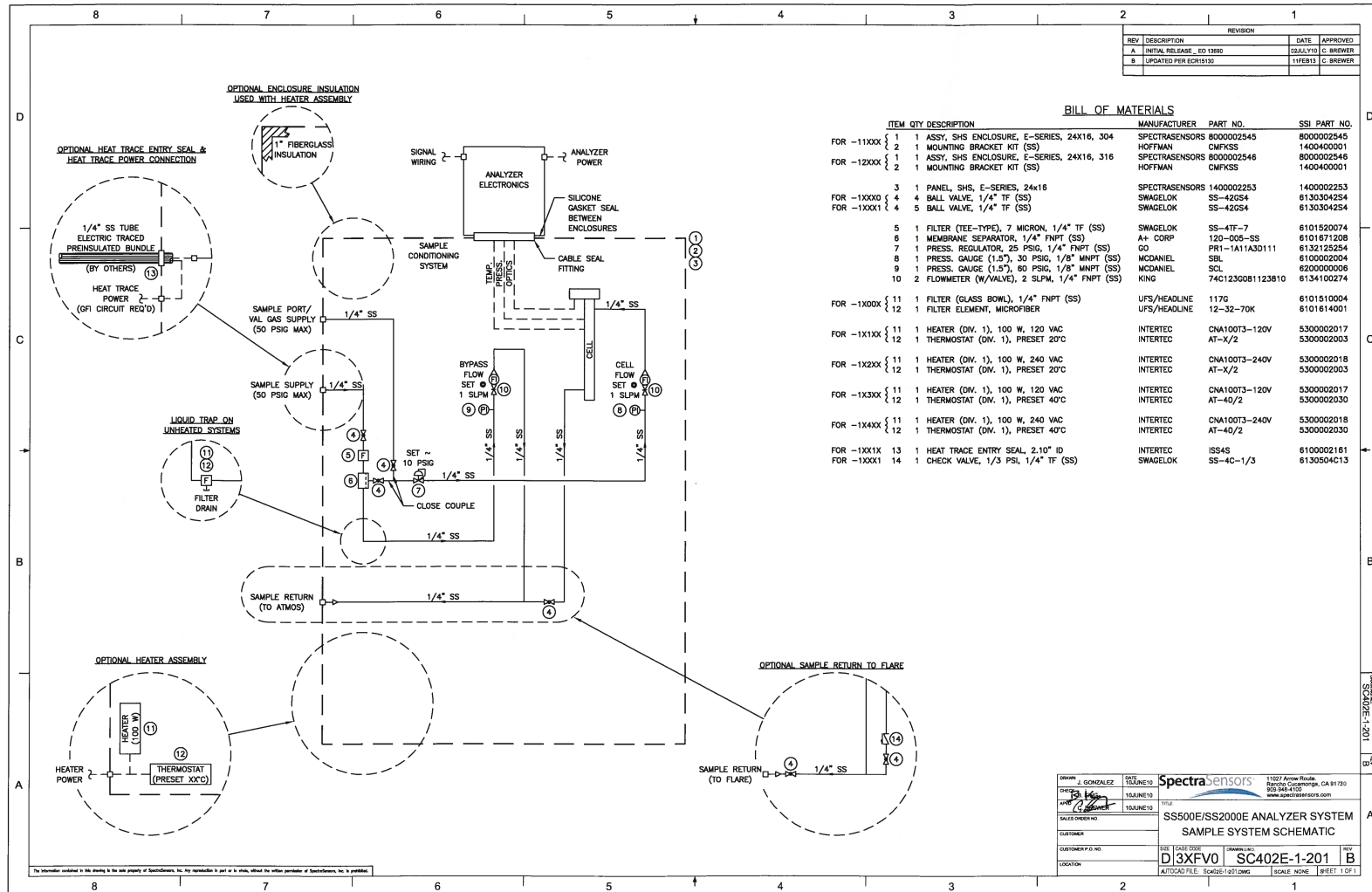


Figure A-2 SS500e/SS2000e analyzer system sample system schematic

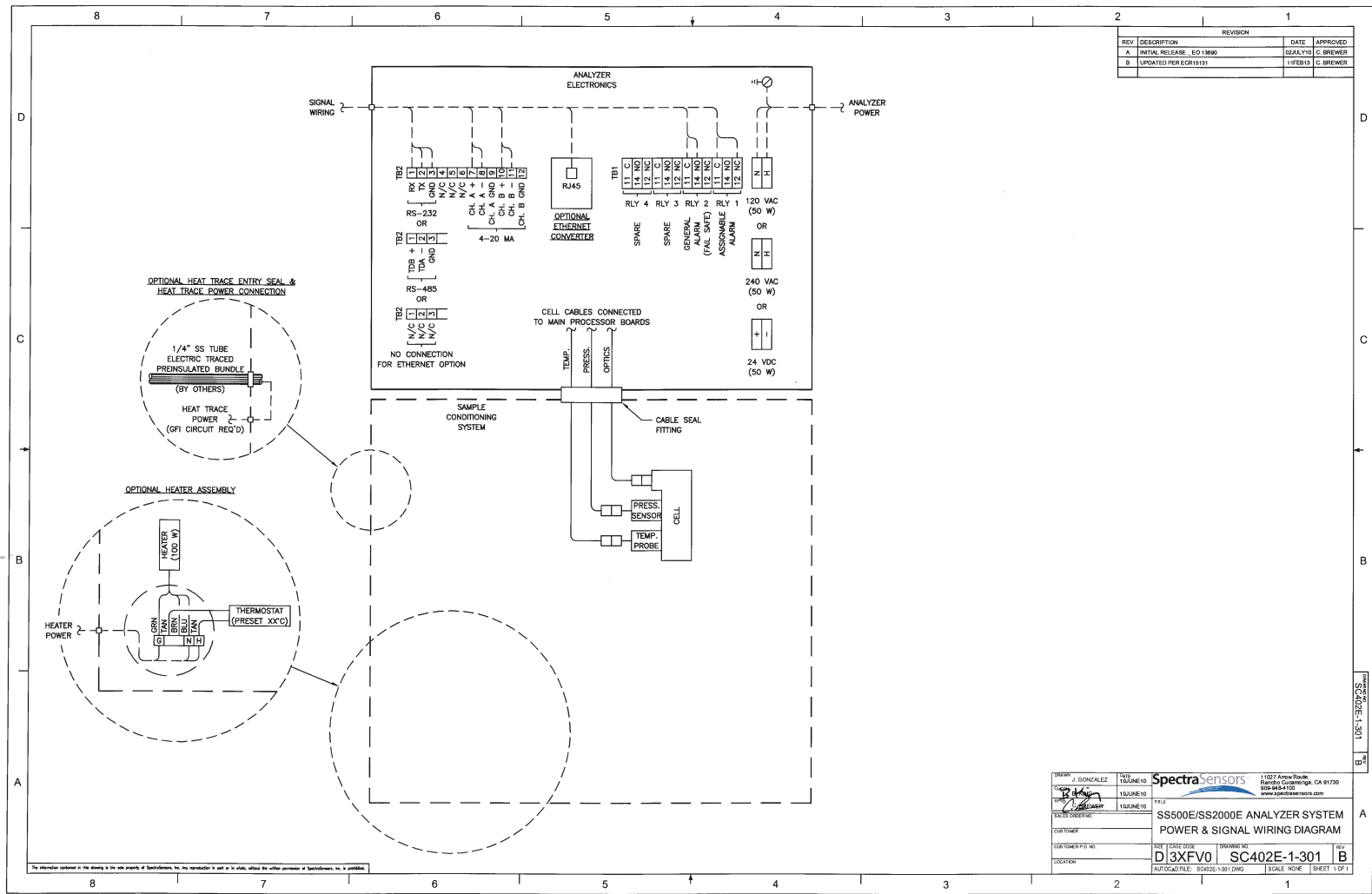


Figure A-3 SS500e/SS2000e analyzer system power and signal wiring diagram

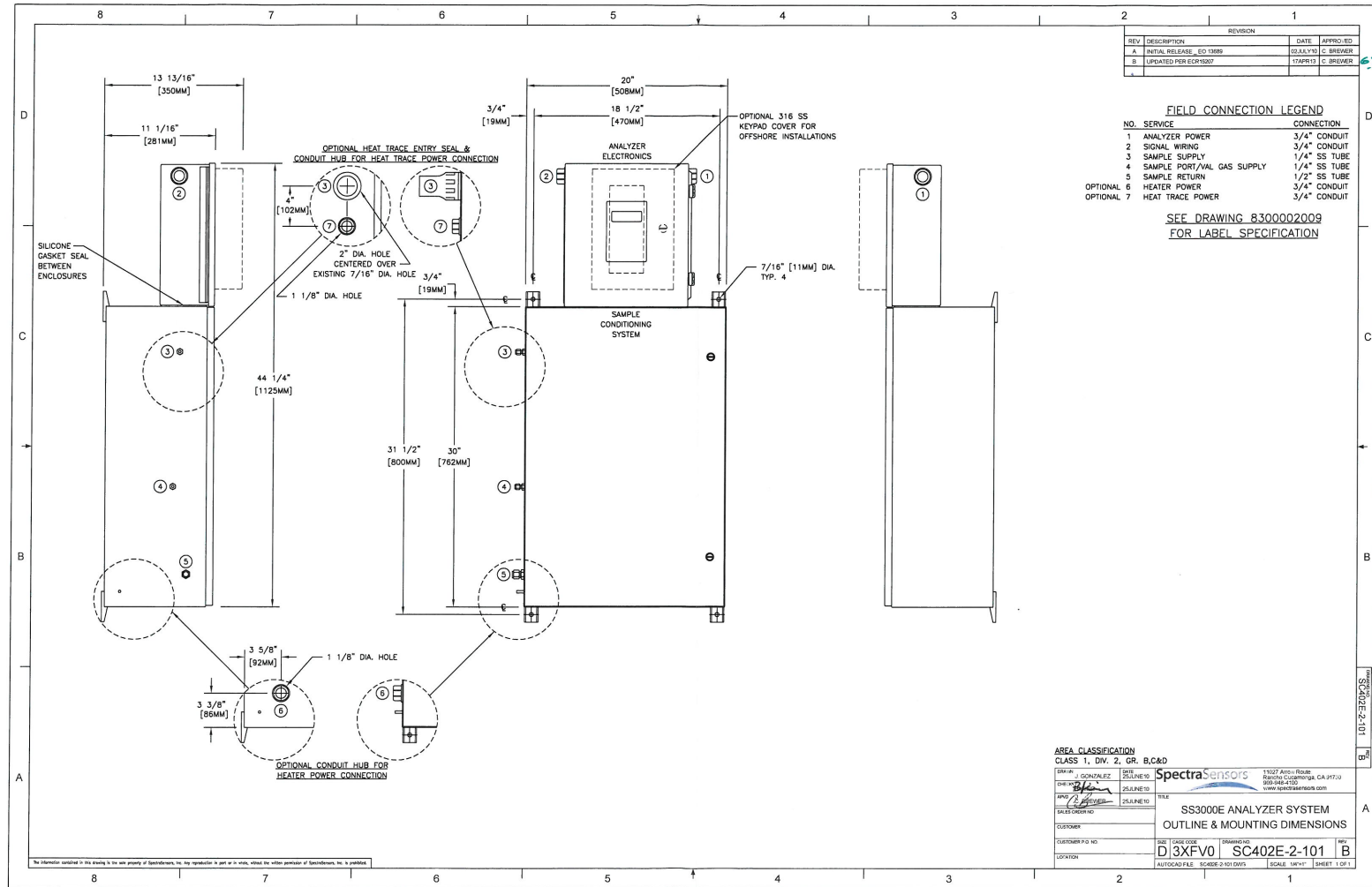


Figure A-4 SS3000e single stream analyzer system outline and mounting dimensions

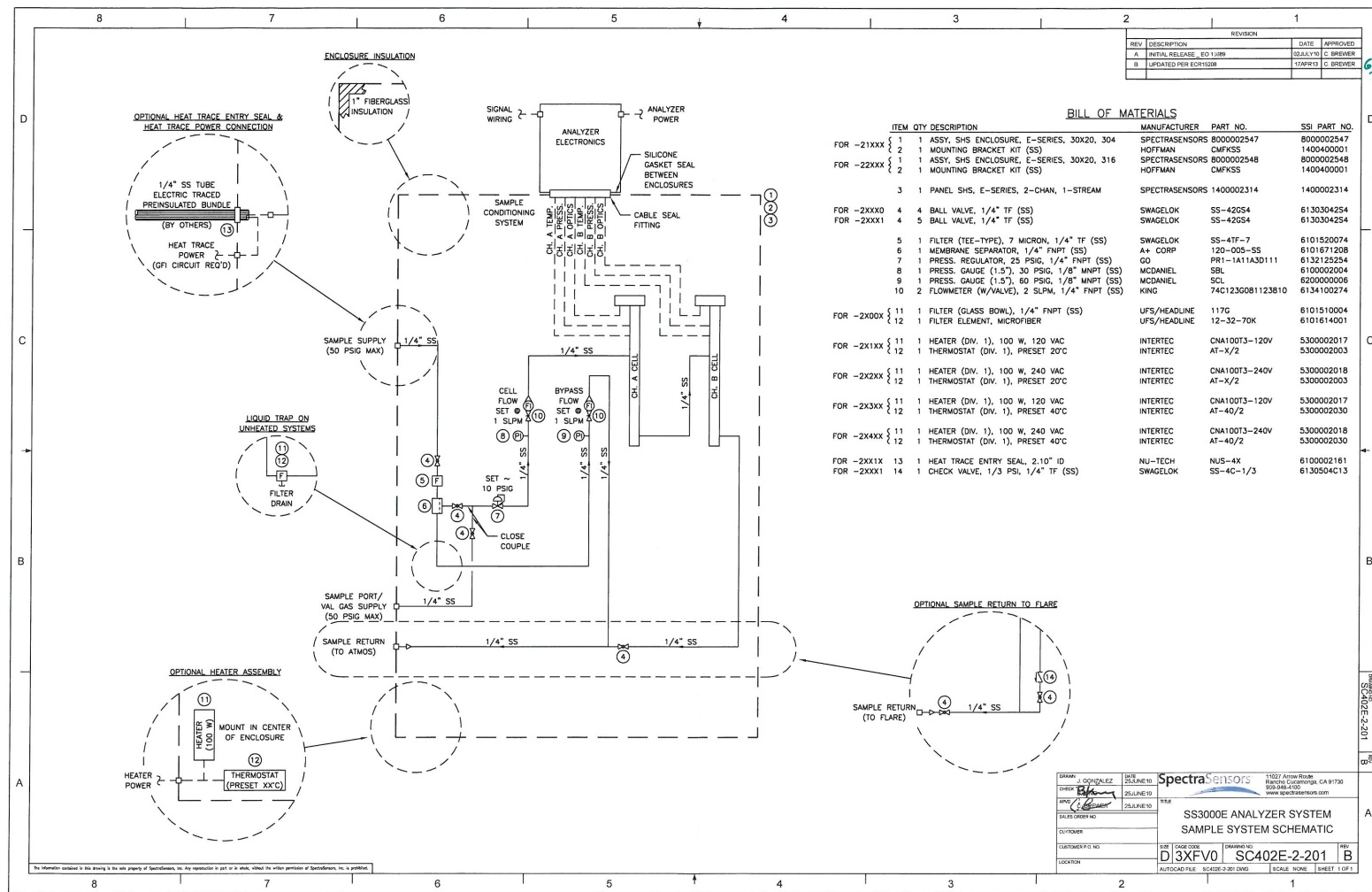


Figure A-5 SS3000e single stream analyzer system sample system schematic

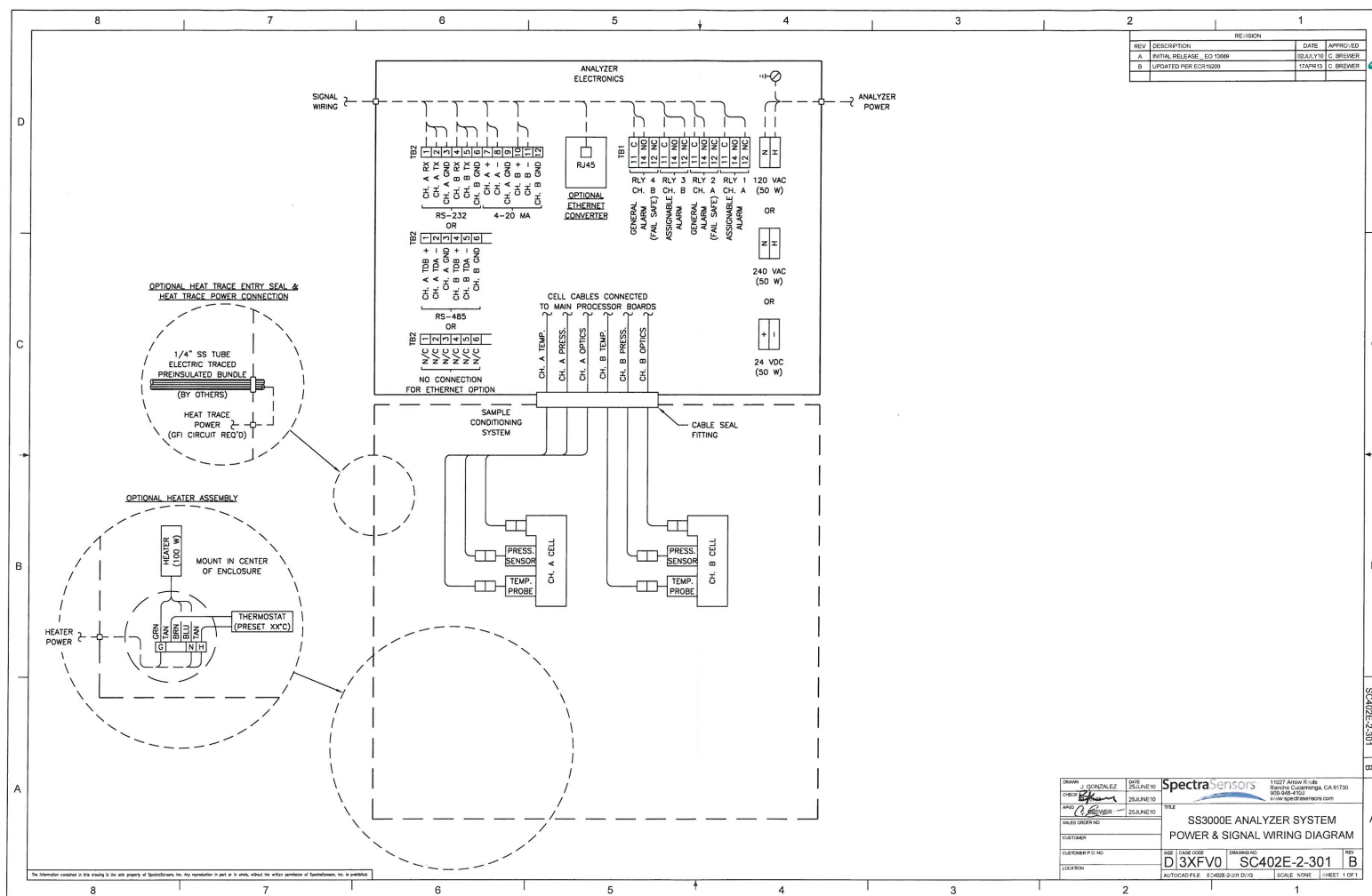


Figure A-6 SS3000e single stream analyzer system power and signal wiring

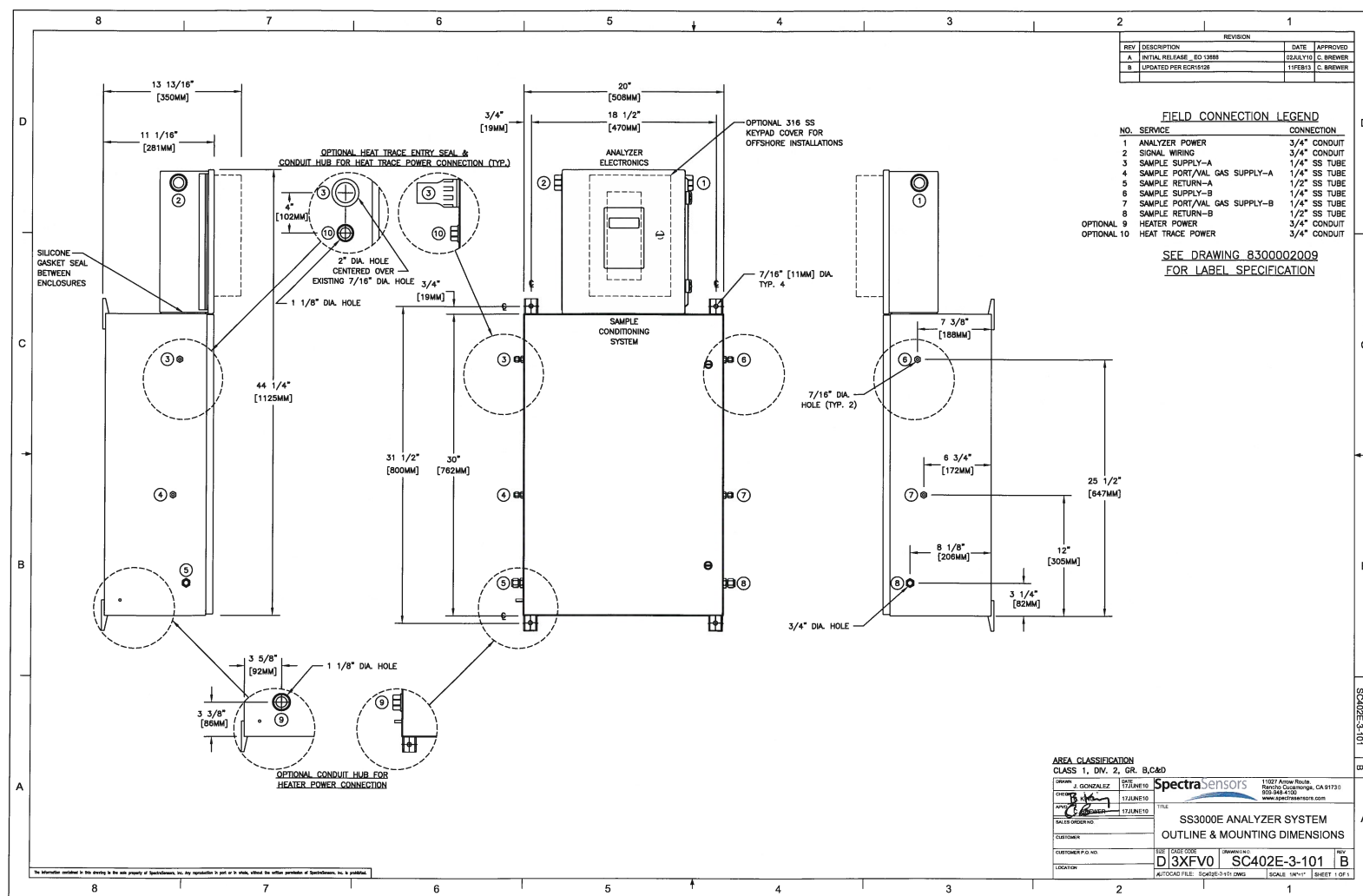


Figure A-7 SS3000e dual stream analyzer system outline and mounting dimensions

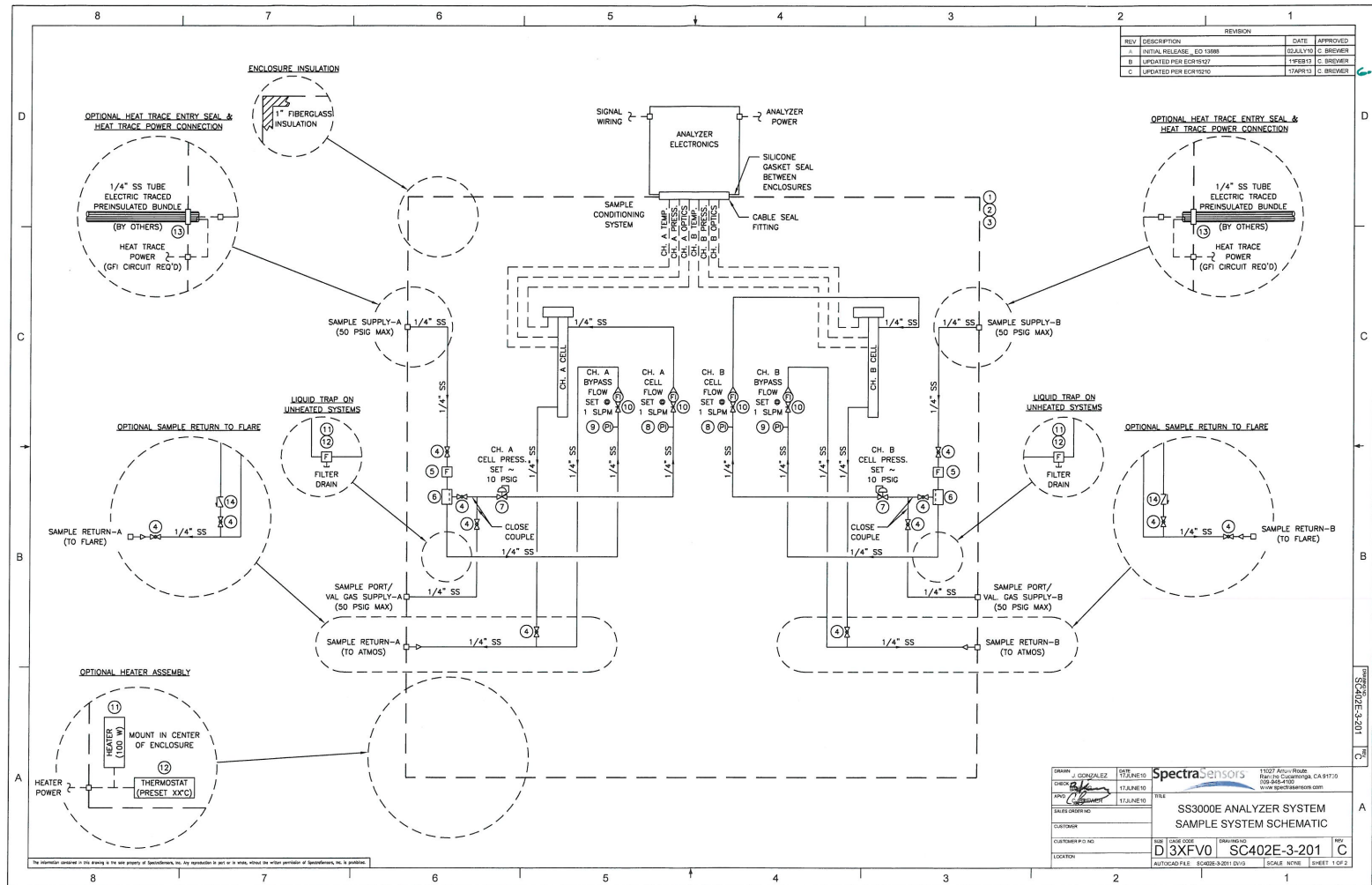


Figure A-8 SS3000e dual stream analyzer system sample system schematic

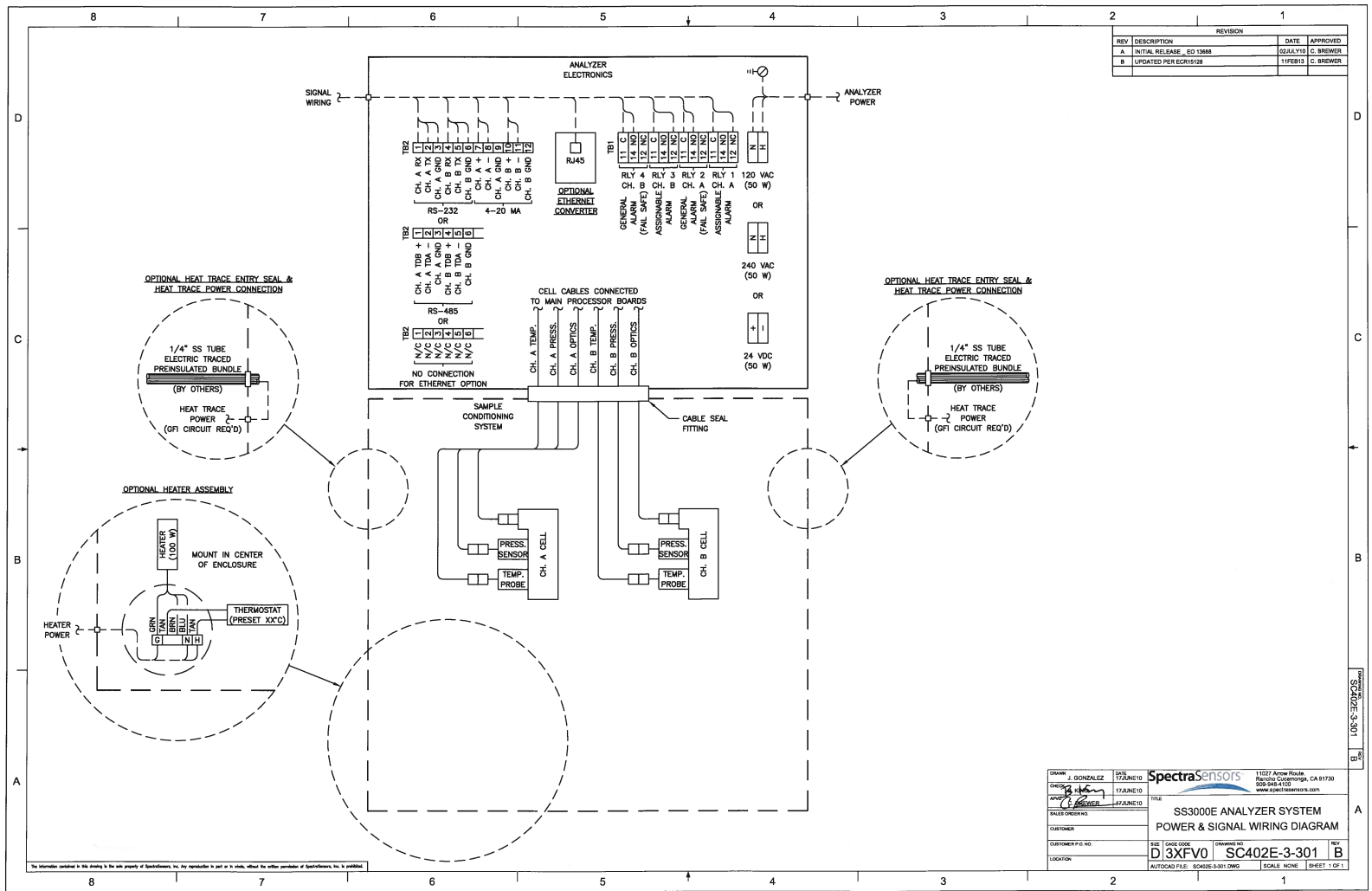


Figure A-9 SS3000e dual stream analyzer system power and signal wiring

Table A-6 Typical Natural Gas stream composition

Stream Component	Units	Typical Concentrations	
		Minimum	Maximum
Table 1 (Natural Gas Stream)			
Methane (C ₁)	% mol	90	100
Ethane (C ₂ H ₆)	% mol	0.0	7.0
Propane (C ₃ H ₈)	% mol	0.0	2.0
Butanes (C ₄ H ₁₀)	% mol	0.0	1.0
Pentanes (C ₅ H ₁₂)	% mol	0.0	0.2
Hexanes and Heavier (C6+)	% mol	0.0	0.2
Carbon Dioxide (CO ₂)	% mol	0.0	3.0
Nitrogen (N ₂)	% mol	0.0	10
Hydrogen Sulfide (H ₂ S)	ppmv	0	300 ^a
Table 2 (Rich Natural Gas Stream) ^b			
Methane (C ₁)	% mol	50	100
Ethane (C ₂ H ₆)	% mol	0.0	20
Propane (C ₃ H ₈)	% mol	0.0	15
Butanes (C ₄ H ₁₀)	% mol	0.0	5.0
Pentanes (C ₅ H ₁₂)	% mol	0.0	2.0
Hexanes and Heavier (C6+)	% mol	0.0	2.0
Carbon Dioxide (CO ₂)	% mol	0.0	20
Nitrogen (N ₂)	% mol	0.0	20
Hydrogen Sulfide (H ₂ S)	% mol	0	5

a. For streams greater than 300 ppmv H₂S, additional hardware may be required for safety purposes.

b. Specific stream composition must be specified by customer.

Spare Parts

Below is a list of spare parts for the H₂O and/or CO₂ analyzers analyzer with recommended quantities for 2 years of operation. Due to a policy of continuous improvement, parts and part numbers may change without notice. Not all parts listed are included on every analyzer. When ordering, please specify the system serial number to ensure that the correct parts are identified.

Table A-7 Replacement parts for SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e H₂O and/or CO₂ analyzers

Part Number	Description	2 YR QTY
Analyzer		
0190217106	External Serial Output Cable	1
0190213000	Temperature Control Board ¹	-
2900000090	4-20 mA Current Loop Board ¹	-
8000002480	Power Supply Assembly w/Filter, 120/240 VAC 50/60 Hz ¹	-
8000002482	Power Supply Assembly w/Filter, 24 VDC ¹	-
0190230011	Keypad Assembly ¹	-
0190231000	Display Assembly ¹	-
4500002002	Relay, DC12V SPDT 3A/120VAC ¹	-
5500002016	Pressure Transducer	-
6000002249	Cable, Pres Sens, 40"	-
3100002151	Filter, Power Line 120/240 VAC, 5 amps ¹	-
3100002152	RS-485 Converter, B&B Electronics 485LDRC9	-
0219900012	RS-485 Converter Assembly, 2-Channel, Upgrade	-
0219900013	RS-485 Converter Assembly, 1-Channel, Upgrade	-
3100002153	Ethernet Converter, 2-Channel, B&B Electronics ESP902	-
0219900014	Ethernet Converter Assembly, 2-Channel, Upgrade	-
2400002088	Cable Gland/Seal, 9-position, Rextec RG00063090046 ¹	-
0219900005	Kit, Spares (o-rings, screws), Viton, 2-Pass Cell ¹	1
0219900011	Kit, Fuse, AC/DC	1
2892102022	O-ring, Viton, AS5684-022	-
0900002146	Mirror, 0.8-m/0.1-m, metal	-

1. Contact SpectraSensors' service department before attempting replacement. Replacing this component without technical support could cause damage to other components. Contact service at 1-800-619-2861 (option 2) or service@spectrasensors.com.

Table A-7 Replacement parts for SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e
H₂O and/or CO₂ analyzers (Continued)

Part Number	Description	2 YR QTY
General		
0219900007	Kit, Mirror Cleaning (USA/Canada only) ¹	1
0219900017	Kit, Mirror Cleaning, No Chemicals (International) ¹	1
4900002230	Hardware Installation and Maintenance Manual Rev. A, additional copies	-
4900002217	Firmware v2.50 Operator's Manual, additional copies	-
4900002225	Firmware v2.51 Operator's Manual, additional copies	-
Sample Conditioning System		
61303042S4	Ball Valve, 1/4" TF (SS), Swagelok SS-42GS4	2
6101671208	Membrane Separator, 1/4" FNPT (SS), A+ Corp 120-005-SS	-
61016120X5	Membrane Replacement Filter, A+ Corp 120-5X5	2
6134100274	Flowmeter (w/Valve), 2 SLPM, 1/4" FNPT (SS), King 74C123G081123810	-
2800002041	Rebuild Kit, Flowmeter, Viton, King 7430	-
6101520074	Filter (Tee-Type), 7 micron, 1/4" TF (SS), Swagelok SS-4TF-7	1
6100002186	Filter Element, 7 micron, Swagelok SS-4F-K4-7	2
6132125254	Pressure Regulator, 25 PSIG, 1/4" FNPT (SS), GO PR1-1A11A3D111	-
6100002004	Pressure Gauge (1.5"), 30 PSIG, 1/8" MNPT (SS), McDaniel SBL	-
6200000006	Pressure Gauge (1.5"), 60 PSIG, 1/8" MNPT (SS), McDaniel SCL	-
5300002017	Heater, 100W, 120 VAC, Intertec CP Multitherm CNA100T3-120V	-
5300002018	Heater, 100W, 240 VAC, Intertec CP Multitherm CNA100T3-240V	-
5300002003	Thermostat, Probe, 120VAC, 10A, Intertec AT-X/2, Preset at 20°C	-
5300002030	Thermostat, Probe, 120VAC, 10A, Intertec AT-X/2, Preset at 40°C	-
6130504C13	Check Valve, 1/3 PSI, 1/4" TF (SS), Swagelok SS-4C-1/3	-
6101510004	Filter (Glass Bowl), 1/4" FNPT (SS), UFS/Headline 117G	-
6101614001	Filter Element, Microfiber, UFS/Headline 12-21-70K	2

1. Contact SpectraSensors' service department before attempting replacement. Replacing this component without technical support could cause damage to other components. Contact service at 1-800-619-2861 (option 2) or service@spectrasensors.com.

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Appendix B: Troubleshooting

This chapter presents recommendations and solutions to issues that may be experienced during analyzer operation. If the problem being encountered is not referred to in this chapter, refer to **"Service Contact"** on page B-22.



Class 3B invisible laser radiation possible when open. Avoid exposure to the beam. Never open the sample cell unless directed to do so by a service representative and the analyzer power is turned off.



The optical head has a seal and "WARNING" sticker to prevent inadvertent tampering with the device. Do not attempt to compromise the seal of the optical head assembly. Doing so will result in loss of device sensitivity and inaccurate measurement data. Repairs can then only be performed by the factory and are not covered under warranty.

Gas Leaks

Probably the most common cause of erroneous measurements is outside air leaking into the sample supply line. It is recommended the supply lines be periodically leak tested, especially if the analyzer supply lines have been disconnected and reconnected due to relocation, replacement or returned to the factory for service.



Do not use plastic tubing of any kind for sample lines. Plastic tubing is permeable to moisture and other substances which can contaminate the sample stream. SpectraSensors recommends using 1/4" O.D. x 0.035" wall thickness, seamless stainless steel tubing.



Process samples may contain hazardous material in potentially flammable and/or toxic concentrations. Personnel should have a thorough knowledge and understanding of the physical properties and safety precautions for the sample contents before operating the SCS.

Contamination

Contamination and long exposure to high humidity are valid reasons for periodically cleaning the gas sampling lines. Contamination in the gas sampling lines can potentially find its way to the sample cell and deposit on the optics or interfere with the measurement in some other way. Although the analyzer is designed to withstand some contamination, it is recommended to always keep the sampling lines as free from contamination as possible.

To keep the sampling lines clean:

1. Make sure that a filter or membrane separator is installed ahead of the analyzer and is operating normally. Replace the membrane or filter, if necessary (refer to **"Replacing the Membrane Separators"** on page B-15 or **"Replacing the Filter"** on page B-15).



*If liquid enters the cell and accumulates on the internal optics, a **Laser Power too Low** fault will result.*

2. If mirror contamination is suspected, refer to **"Cleaning the Mirrors"** below.
3. Turn off the sample valve at the tap in accordance with site lock-out, tag-out rules.
4. Disconnect the gas sampling line from the sample supply port of the analyzer.
5. Wash the sampling line with a suitable solvent and blow dry with mild pressure from a dry air or nitrogen source.
6. Once the sampling line is completely free of solvent, reconnect the gas sampling line to the sample supply port of the analyzer.
7. Check all connections for gas leaks. SpectraSensors recommends using a liquid leak detector.

Cleaning the Mirrors

If contamination makes its way into the cell and accumulates on the internal optics, a **Power Fail** fault will result. If mirror contamination is suspected, please consult with your factory sales representative before attempting to clean or replace the mirror(s). If advised to do so, use the following procedure.



Do not attempt to clean the cell mirror until you have consulted with your factory service representative and have been advised to do so.



The sample cell assembly contains a low-power, 10 mW MAX, CW Class 3b invisible laser with a wavelength between 750-3000 nm. Never open the sample cell flanges or the optical assembly unless the power is turned off.



*Always handle the optical assembly by the edge of the mount.
Never touch the coated surfaces of the mirror.*

Tools and supplies:

- Lens cleaning cloth (Cole Parmer® EW-33677-00 TEXWIPE® Alphawipe® Low-Particulate Clean Room Wipes or equivalent)
- Reagent-grade Isopropyl (ColeParmer® EW-88361-80 or equivalent)
- Small drop dispenser bottle (Nalgene® 2414 FEP Drop Dispenser Bottle or equivalent)
- Acetone-impenetrable gloves (North NOR CE412W Nitrile Chemsoft™ CE Cleanroom Gloves or equivalent)
- Hemostat (Fisherbrand™ 13-812-24 Rochester-Pean Serrated Forceps)
- Bulb blower or dry compressed air/nitrogen
- Torque wrench
- Permanent marker
- Flashlight

Determining the type of cell mirror

Measurement cells will come equipped with either a glass or stainless steel mirror. Before determining whether to clean or replace the mirror, identify the type of measurement cell being used in the analyzer. There are two types of measurement cells used with the SS500e/SS2000e/SS3000e; 0.1-m, 0.8-m. Refer to Figure B-1.

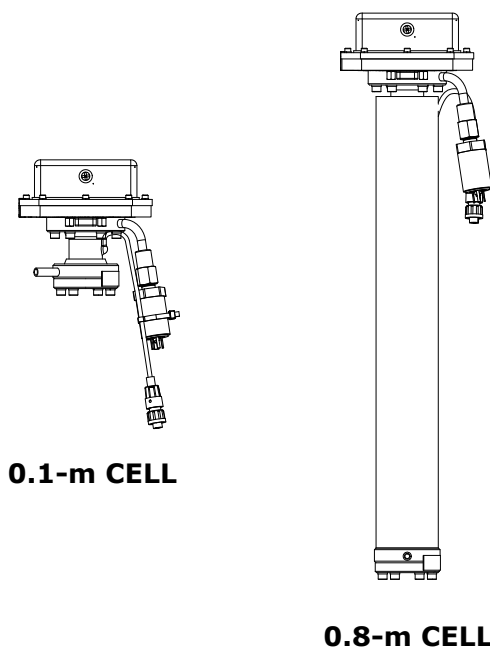
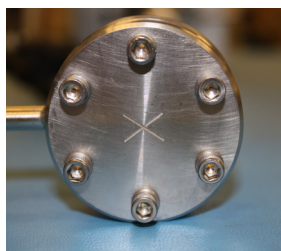


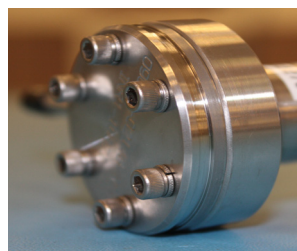
Figure B-1 *Measurement cell types*

The stainless steel mirrors are identified with either an "X" engraved on the outside bottom of the mirror or a groove around the rim of the mirror. Glass mirrors have no external markings. To determine the type of mirror being used for the system cell:

- 1.** Feel at the bottom of the cell for the engraved "X" marking. Refer to Figure B-2 below.



**MIRROR MARKED
WITH 'X'**



**MIRROR GROOVED
RIM - SIDE VIEW**

Figure B-2 *Stainless steel mirror marking*

- a.** If the surface is smooth, a glass mirror is being used.
- b.** If the surface is rough, or an engraving is detected, a stainless steel mirror is being used.



Do not attempt to replace a glass mirror with a stainless steel mirror or system calibration may be adversely affected.

To clean the mirror, refer to the instructions **"To clean the mirror"** on page B-5. To replace a stainless steel mirror, refer to the instructions for **"To replace the stainless steel mirror"** on page B-6.

To clean the mirror:

1. Power down the analyzer following the procedure outlined in the section called **"Powering Down the Analyzer"** in the Firmware Operator's Manual.
2. Isolate the analyzer from the sample bypass flow by shutting off the appropriate valve(s) and/or pressure regulator. Follow the procedure outlined in **"Isolating the Measurement Cell for Short-term Shutdown"** in the Firmware Operator's Manual.



All valves, regulators, switches, etc. should be operated in accordance with site lock-out/tag-out procedures.

3. If possible, purge the measurement cell with nitrogen for 10 minutes.



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4. Carefully mark the orientation of the mirror assembly on the cell body.



Careful marking of the mirror orientation is critical to restoring system performance upon reassembly after cleaning.

5. Gently remove the mirror assembly from the cell by removing the socket-head cap screws and set on a clean, stable and flat surface.



The sample cell assembly contains a low-power, 10 mW MAX, CW Class 3b invisible laser with a wavelength between 750-3000 nm. Never open the sample cell flanges or the optical assembly unless the power is turned off.



*Always handle the optical assembly by the edge of the mount.
Never touch the coated surfaces of the mirror.*

6. Look inside the sample cell at the top mirror using a flashlight to ensure that there is no contamination on the top mirror.



SpectraSensors does not recommend cleaning the top mirror. If the top mirror is visibly contaminated, contact your factory service representative.

7. Remove dust and other large particles of debris using a bulb blower or dry compressed air/nitrogen. Pressurized gas duster products are not recommended as the propellant may deposit liquid droplets onto the optic surface.
8. Put on clean acetone-impenetrable gloves.
9. Double fold a clean sheet of lens cleaning cloth and clamp near and along the fold with the hemostats or fingers to form a "brush."
10. Place a few drops of Isopropyl alcohol onto the mirror and rotate the mirror to spread the liquid evenly across the mirror surface.
11. With gentle, uniform pressure, wipe the mirror from one edge to the other with the cleaning cloth only once and only in one direction to remove the contamination. Discard the cloth.



Never rub an optical surface, especially with dry tissues, as this can mar or scratch the coated surface.

12. Repeat with a clean sheet of lens cleaning cloth to remove the streak left by the first wipe. Repeat, if necessary, until there is no visible contamination on the mirror.
13. Carefully replace the mirror assembly onto the cell in the same orientation as previously marked making sure the O-ring is properly seated.
14. Tighten the socket-head cap screws evenly with a torque wrench to 13 in-lbs.

To replace the stainless steel mirror:

If your system has been configured with a stainless steel mirror in the 0.1-m or 0.8-m measurement cell, use the following instructions for replacing the mirror.



*If stainless steel mirrors are replacing another version of mirror in the field, such as glass, the analyzer may need to be returned to the factory for re-calibration to ensure optimal cell function. Refer to "**Service Contact**" on page B-22.*

1. Power down the analyzer following the procedure outlined in the section called "**Powering Down the Analyzer**" in the Firmware Operator's Manual.
2. Isolate the analyzer from the sample bypass flow by shutting off the appropriate valve(s) and/or pressure regulator.



All valves, regulators, switches, etc. should be operated in accordance with site lock-out/tag-out procedures.

3. If possible, purge the measurement cell with nitrogen for 10 minutes.



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4. Gently remove the mirror assembly from the cell by removing the socket-head cap screws and set on a clean, stable and flat surface.



The sample cell assembly contains a low-power, 10 mW MAX, CW Class 3b invisible laser with a wavelength between 750-3000 nm. Never open the sample cell flanges or the optical assembly unless the power is turned off.



Always handle the optical assembly by the edge of the mount. Never touch the optical surfaces of the mirror.

5. Confirm need to replace mirror due to contamination. If yes, set mirror aside.
6. Put on clean acetone-impenetrable gloves.
7. Obtain the new stainless steel mirror. Refer to Figure B-3.

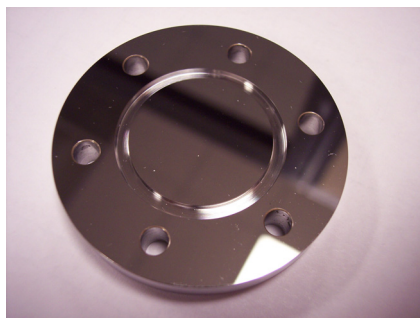


Figure B-3 *Stainless steel mirror - mirror side up*

8. Check the O-ring.
 - a. If a new O-ring is needed, apply grease on fingertips and then to the new O-ring.
 - b. Place newly greased O-ring into the groove around the outside of the mirror taking care not to touch the mirror surface.
9. Carefully place the new stainless steel mirror onto the cell making sure the O-ring is properly seated.
10. Tighten the socket-head cap screws evenly with a torque wrench to 13 in-lbs.

Pressure Transducer Replacement

A pressure transducer may need to be replaced in the field as a result of one or more of the following conditions:

- Loss of pressure reading
- Incorrect pressure reading
- Pressure transducer not responding to pressure change
- Physical damage to the pressure transducer

Use the following information to replace a pressure transducer.

Tools and materials:

- 9/16" wrench
- 7/8" wrench
- 9-64" Allen wrench
- Flat-head screwdriver
- Phillips-head screwdriver
- Metal pick
- Military grade stainless steel PTFE tape (or equivalent)

- Dry nitrogen
- Isopropyl alcohol



Alcohol can be hazardous. Follow all safety precautions when in use and thoroughly wash hands prior to eating.

To replace the pressure transducer:

1. Close the external flow of gas to the sample conditioning system (SCS) at the sample inlet.
2. Purge the system by connecting dry nitrogen to the sample inlet. Allow the SCS to purge for 5-10 minutes.
3. Close the nitrogen flow.
4. Power off the system. Refer to the Firmware Operator's Manual for this analyzer for "**Powering down the analyzer**".
5. Open the door to the analyzer. Refer to Figure B-4. In this view, the old model pressure transducer is pictured.

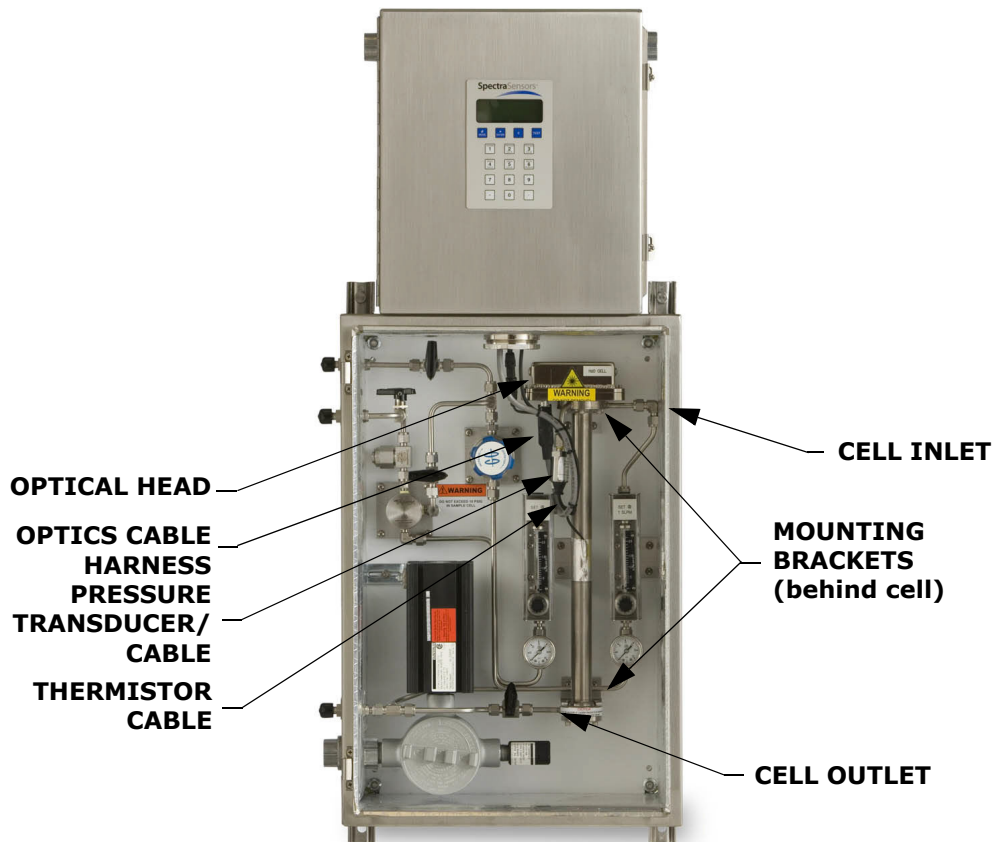


Figure B-4 SS500e/SS2000e SCS cabinet interior

6. Remove the optical cable harness using a flat-head screwdriver.
7. Disconnect the cell inlet using a 9/16" wrench.
8. Disconnect the cell outlet using a 9/16" wrench.
9. Disconnect the thermistor cable at the circular connector.
10. Remove the pressure transducer cable from the circular connector inside the enclosure.

For new model pressure transducers with quick-disconnects, detach the pressure transducer cable from the pressure transducer at the connector using a Phillips-head screwdriver. Do not remove the black connector from the cable inside the enclosure.

11. Dismount the cell from the bracket by removing the four securing screws (two on top, two on the bottom) using a 9-64" Allen wrench.
12. Place the measurement cell on a clean, flat surface with the pressure transducer facing up. Refer to Figure B-5.

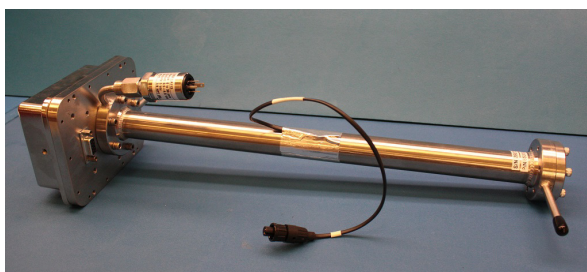


Figure B-5 *Removed measurement cell with pressure transducer face up*



Orient the measurement cell to avoid any debris from entering the cell.

1. Using a 9/16" wrench, secure the flange while using a 7/8" wrench to remove the old pressure transducer. Refer to Figure B-6.

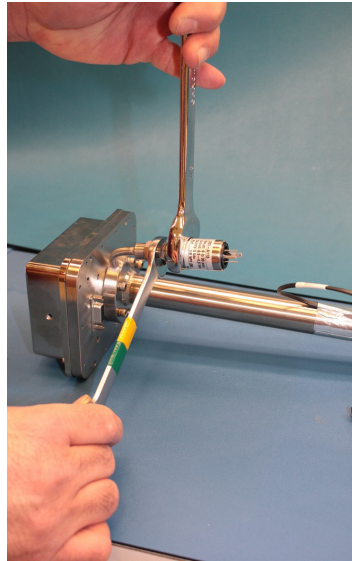


Figure B-6 *Removing the old pressure transducer*

- a. Hold the wrench on the flange stable and parallel to the surface. Do not move.
 - b. Turn the 7/8" wrench counterclockwise to loosen the pressure transducer until it is able to be removed.
- 13.** Remove excess seal tape from the flange opening and threads and check threads for galling. Refer to Figure B-7.

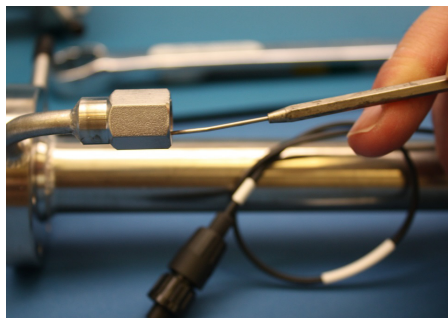


Figure B-7 *Removing excess seal tape from flange*



*Threads showing signs of galling indicate a possible leak. Refer to "**Customer Service**" on page B-22 to arrange for repair.*

- 14.** Remove the new pressure transducer from the packaging. Retain the black connector cap on the transducer - do not remove.

15. Wrap stainless steel PTFE tape around the threads at the top of the pressure transducer, beginning from the base of the threads to the top, approximately three times taking care to avoid covering the top opening. Refer to Figure B-8.



Figure B-8 Replacing seal tape

16. Insert the new pressure transducer into the threaded flange keeping the transducer parallel to the surface for proper fitting.
17. Hand tighten the pressure transducer turning it counterclockwise into the flange until no longer moving freely. Refer to Figure B-9.

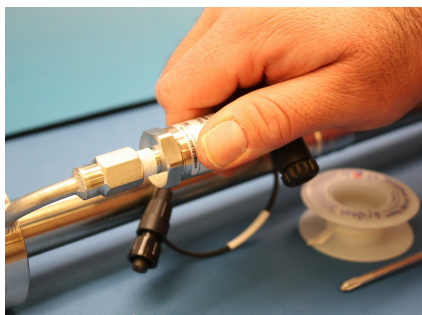


Figure B-9 Replacing pressure transducer

18. Using the 9/16" wrench to hold the flange in place, turn the transducer clockwise with a 7/8" wrench until tight. Two or three threads on the pressure transducer should still be visible.



Make sure the black connector at the bottom of the pressure transducer is facing up from the measurement cell, or forward towards the enclosure door. Refer to Figure B-10.



Figure B-10 Newly installed pressure transducer positioning

19. Remove the black connector from the pressure transducer and discard.
20. Connect the new harness/cable to the new pressure transducer.



If the new model pressure transducer cable is currently installed in the SCS, reattach the cable to the pressure transducer after the cell has been remounted.

21. Remount the cell to the mounting brackets using a 9-64" Allen wrench with the pressure transducer facing forward.
22. Reinstall cell inlet and cell outlet using a 9/16" wrench.
23. Reconnect the thermistor connector.
24. Reconnect the optical cable harness.
25. Connect the new pressure transducer cable.
26. Close the door.
27. Conduct a leak test to determine that the new pressure transducer is not leaking.



Do not allow cell to exceed 10 PSIG or damage could occur.



*For any questions related to leak testing the pressure transducer, refer to "**Customer Service**" on page B-22.*

28. Turn the system power on. Refer to the Firmware Operator's Manual for this analyzer for "**Powering up the analyzer.**"
29. Run a validation on the analyzer. Refer to the Firmware Operator's Manual for instructions to "**Start Validation.**"

- a. If the system passes, the pressure transducer replacement is successful.
- b. If the system does not pass, refer "**Customer Service**" on page B-22 for instruction.

Excessive Sampling Gas Temperatures and Pressures

The embedded software is designed to produce accurate measurements only within the allowable cell operating range (refer to the system drawings in Appendix A and/or calibration report).



The cell temperature operating range for analyzers that are equipped with heated enclosures is equal to the enclosure temperature setpoint ± 5 °C.

Pressures and temperatures outside this range will trigger a **Pressure Low Alarm**, **Pressure High Alarm**, **Temp Low Alarm**, or **Temp High Alarm** fault.



If the pressure, temperature, or any other readings on the LCD appear suspect, they should be checked against the specifications (refer to the system drawings in Appendix A and/or calibration report).

Confirming the Relief Valve Setting

Confirm that the relief valve at the field pressure reducing station has been set to the specified setpoint. Refer to the analyzer drawings for the required settings.

1. Remove the relief valve from the pressure reducing regulator and connect to an adjustable pressure source.



Refer to the manufacturer's instructions for details related to setting the relief valve.

2. Re-install the relief valve.
3. Check all connections for gas leaks. SpectraSensors recommends using a liquid leak detector.

Replacing the Membrane Separators

Use the following steps to replace a membrane separator, as necessary.

1. Close the sample supply valve.
2. Unscrew the cap from the membrane separator.

If the membrane filter is dry:

3. Check if there are any contaminants or discoloring of the white membrane. If yes, the filter should be replaced.
4. Remove the O-ring and replace the membrane filter.
5. Replace the O-ring on top of the membrane filter.
6. Place the cap back onto the membrane separator and tighten.
7. Check upstream of the membrane for liquid contamination and clean and dry out before re-opening the sample supply valve.

If liquid or contaminants are detected on the filter:

3. Drain any liquids and clean with Isopropyl alcohol.
4. Clean any liquids or contaminants from the base of the membrane separator.
5. Replace the filter and the O-ring.
6. Place the cap onto the membrane separator and tighten.
7. Check upstream of the membrane for liquid contamination and clean and dry out before re-opening the sample supply valve.

Replacing the Filter

If necessary, use the following steps to replace the filter.

1. Close the sample supply valve.
2. Unscrew the four screws with a 5/23" screwdriver from the base of the filter. Remove the filter unit from the analyzer for disassembly.
3. Unscrew and remove the filter cap.
4. Remove the top O-ring.
5. Check if there are any contaminants or solid components blocking the metal filter.
6. Drain any contaminants found and clean with Isopropyl alcohol.
7. Replace the top O-ring.
8. Place the filter cap back into position and tighten.
9. Place the filter unit into the analyzer and tighten the base with the four screws.

10. Check upstream of membrane for liquid contamination and clean and dry out before opening the sample supply valve.

Peak Tracking Reset Procedure

The analyzer's software is equipped with a peak tracking function that keeps the laser scan centered on the absorption peak. Under some circumstances, the peak tracking function can get lost and lock onto the wrong peak. If the difference between **PkDf** and **PkDI** is more than 4, or **Track Fail Error** is displayed, the peak tracking function should be reset. Refer to the Firmware Operator's Manual for this analyzer for instruction.

Electrical Noise

High levels of electrical noise can interfere with laser operation and cause it to become unstable. Always connect the analyzer to a properly grounded power source.

Instrument Problems

If the instrument does not appear to be hampered by gas leaks, contamination, excessive sampling gas temperatures and pressures, or electrical noise, refer to Table B-1 before contacting your sales representative for service.

Table B-1 Potential instrument problems and solutions

Symptom	Response
Non-Operation (at start up)	Is the power connected to both the analyzer and power source? Is the switch on?
	Is the power source good? (100-250 VAC @ 50-60 Hz, 18-32 VDC).
	Check fuse(s). If bad, replace with equivalent amperage, slow-blow fuse.
	Contact a factory sales representative for service information.
Power Fail Error	Make sure that the analyzer is protected from extreme ambient temperature
	Turn analyzer off and check the hytek board for loose cables. Do not disconnect or reconnect any optical head cables with the power connected.

Table B-1 Potential instrument problems and solutions (Continued)

Symptom	Response
Power Fail Error (Continued)	Check the inlet and outlet tubes to see if they are under any stress. Remove the connections to the inlet and outlet tubes and see if the power goes up. Perhaps the existing tubing needs to be replaced with stainless steel flexible tubing.
	Capture diagnostic data and send the file to SpectraSensors (refer to "To read diagnostic data with Hyper-Terminal" in the Firmware Operator's Manual).
	Possible alignment problem. Contact a factory sales representative for service information.
	Possible mirror contamination issue. Contact a factory sales representative for service information. If advised to do so, clean the mirrors by following the instructions under "To clean the mirror" on page B-5.
	Refer to the Firmware Operator's Manual for error message programming solutions.
Null Fail Error	Refer to the Firmware Manual to verify a Null Fail Error fault.
	Move the jumper JMP1 on the HC12 main board next to the pre-pot.
	Capture diagnostic data and send the file to SpectraSensors (refer to "To read diagnostic data with Hyper-Terminal" in the Firmware Operator's Manual).
Spectrum Fail Error	Turn off the power to the unit and check the optical head cables for a loose connection. Do not disconnect or reconnect any optical head cables with the power connected.
	Reset the peak tracking. Refer to the Firmware Operator's Manual.
	Capture diagnostic data and send the file to SpectraSensors (refer to "To read diagnostic data with Hyper-Terminal" in the Firmware Operator's Manual).
	Turn the analyzer off for 30 seconds and then turn it on again.

Table B-1 Potential instrument problems and solutions (Continued)

Symptom	Response
PT Fail Error	Check that the actual pressure in the measurement cell is within specification (see Appendix A).
	If the pressure reading is incorrect, check that the pressure/temperature cable is tight. Check the connector on the pressure transducer. Check the pressure connector on the backplane board.
	Check that the actual temperature in the measurement cell is within specification (see Appendix A).
	If the temperature reading is incorrect, check that the pressure/temperature cable is tight. Check the connector on the cell temperature sensor. Check the temperature connector on the backplane board. (NOTE: A temperature reading greater than 150 °C indicates a short circuit on the temperature sensor leads; a reading of less than -40 °C indicates an open circuit).
Track Fail Error	Refer to the Firmware Operator's Manual for instruction on system faults.
	Reset the peak tracking. Refer to the Firmware Operator's Manual.
Front panel display is not lit and no characters appear	Check for correct voltage on terminal block input. Observe polarity on DC powered units.
	Check for correct voltage after fuses.
	Check for 5 VDC on red wires, 12 VDC on yellow wires, and 24 VDC on orange wires from power supply (black wires are ground).
	Check connections on display communication and power cables.
Strange characters appear on front panel display	1) Make sure the EEPROM is seated well. 2) Disconnect and reconnect the main board.
No reading on device connected to current loop	Make sure that connected device can accept a 4-20 mA signal. The analyzer is set to source current.

Table B-1 Potential instrument problems and solutions (Continued)

Symptom	Response
No reading on device connected to current loop (Continued)	Make sure the device is connected to the correct terminals on the green connector (see Figure 2-9 on page 2-15).
	Check the open circuit voltage (35-40 VDC) across the current loops terminals on the green connector (see Figure 2-3 on page 2-9).
	Replace the current loop device with a milliamperemeter and look for current between 4 mA and 20 mA. A voltmeter connected across a 249-ohm resistor can be used instead of the milliamperemeter; it should read between 1 and 5 volts.
Pressing keys on front panel do not have specified effect	Check connections on keypad cable.
Current loop is stuck at 4 mA or 20 mA	Check display for fault message. If alarm has been triggered, reset the alarm. Refer to the Firmware Operator's Manual.
	On the current loop board, check the voltage between the end of resistor R1 closest to the jumper and ground. If the concentration reading is high, the voltage should be near 1 VDC. If the concentration reading is low, the voltage should be near 4.7 VDC. If not, the problem is probably on the HC12 main board. Return to factory for service.
Reading seems to always be low by a fixed amount	See "Adjusting Analyzer Reading to Match Specific Standard(s)" in the Firmware Operator's Manual.
	Capture diagnostic data and send the file to SpectraSensors (refer to "To read diagnostic data with Hyper-Terminal" in the Firmware Operator's Manual).
4-20 mA analog signal does not match the DCS/PLC (customer logging system); no 4-20 mA analog signal received or erratic 4-20 mA signal	Check to see if the 4-20 mA is responding from the analyzer. Refer to "4-20 mA % Test" in the Firmware Operator's Manual.

Table B-1 Potential instrument problems and solutions (Continued)

Symptom	Response
Reading seems to always be high by a fixed amount	See "Adjusting Analyzer Reading to Match Specific Standard(s)" in the Firmware Operator's Manual.
	Capture diagnostic data and send the file to SpectraSensors (refer to "To read diagnostic data with Hyper-Terminal" in the Firmware Operator's Manual).
Reading is erratic or seems incorrect	Check for contamination in the sample system, especially if the readings are much higher than expected.
	Capture diagnostic data and send the file to SpectraSensors (refer to "To read diagnostic data with Hyper-Terminal" in the Firmware Operator's Manual).
Reading goes to "0"	If 4-20 mA Alarm Action is set to 0 , look on display for a fault message (refer to the Firmware Manual for instruction on system faults and "To change parameters in Mode 2").
	Gas concentration is equal to zero.
Reading goes to full scale	If 4-20 mA Alarm Action is set to 1 , look on display for a fault message (refer to the Firmware Manual for instruction on system faults and "To change parameters in Mode 2").
	Gas concentration is greater than or equal to full scale value.
Serial Output is displaying garbled data	Make sure the computer COM port is set for 9600 baud, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit, no parity, and no flow control.
	Be sure no other programs are using the COM port selected.
	Make sure the connections are good. Verify the correct pin connections with an ohmmeter.
	Make sure to select the correct COM port into which the cable is plugged.
LCD does not update. Unit is locked up.	Switch off power, wait 30 seconds, and then switch power back on.

Table B-1 Potential instrument problems and solutions (Continued)

Symptom	Response
Serial output is providing no data	Make sure the computer COM port is set for 9600 baud, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit, no parity, and no flow control.
	Be sure no other programs are using the COM port selected.
	Make sure the connections are good. Verify the correct pin connections with an ohmmeter.
	Make sure to select the correct COM port into which the cable is plugged.
Low pressure or flow	Check, clean and/or replace filters or membrane separators. Refer to "Replacing the Membrane Separators" on page B-15.
	Check and adjust the sample probe regulator.
	Check and clean the sample transport tubing.
	Check for leaks.
	Check the relief valve for proper setting. Refer to "Confirming the Relief Valve Setting" on page B-14.
Improper temperature in the SCS	Check the wiring to the heater/controller. Refer to "Connecting Electrical Power to the Enclosure Heater" on page 2-6.
	Check and replace the temperature controller and heater.
Liquids in the flowmeter	Check the temperature for the SCS.
	Check the pressure and correct as necessary.
	Check the temperature on the sample tubing and correct as necessary (refer to the analyzer drawings in Appendix A).
Leaks (gas)	Use a liquid leak detector at all fittings.

Service Contact

If the troubleshooting solutions do not resolve the problem, contact customer service. To return the unit for service or replacement, refer to “**Return Material Authorization**” below.

Customer Service

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Fax: (713) 856-6623

Email: techsupport@spectrasensors.com

Return Material Authorization

If returning the unit is required, obtain a **Return Materials Authorization (RMA) Number** from customer service before returning the analyzer to the factory. Your service representative can determine whether the analyzer can be serviced on site or should be returned to the factory. All returns should be shipped to:

11027 Arrow Rte.
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730-4866
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EN61326-1(2006) Class A; EN61010-1 (2001-02) & IEC61010-1 (2001-2)*

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Product Name:	TDL Gas Analyzer
Model Number:	SS500e

The above Manufacture declares under our sole responsibility that the above product is in compliance with the EMC Directive 2004/108/EC & Low Voltage Directive 2006/95/EC:

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Electromagnetic Immunity:	EN61000-4-2 (1995 w/A1:98 & A2:1) Electrostatic Discharge EN61000-4-3 (2002) Radiated Immunity EN61000-4-4 (2004) Electrical Fast Transient Burst EN61000-4-5 (1995 w/A1:01) Surge EN61000-4-6 (1996 w/A1:01) Conducted Immunity EN61000-4-8 (1993 w/A1:01) Magnetic Immunity EN61000-4-11 (2004) Voltage Dips & Interrupts
Low Voltage Directives	EN61010-1:2001(2 nd Edit.); IEC61010-1:2001(2 nd Edit.)
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Electrical Equipment for measurement, control and laboratory use – EMC Requirements
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EN61000-4-4 (2004) Electrical Fast Transient Burst
EN61000-4-5 (1995 w/A1:01) Surge
EN61000-4-6 (1996 w/A1:01) Conducted Immunity
EN61000-4-8 (1993 w/A1:01) Magnetic Immunity
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 Model Number: SS3000e

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Electromagnetic Immunity: EN61000-4-2 (1995 w/A1:98 & A2:1) Electrostatic Discharge
 EN61000-4-3 (2002) Radiated Immunity
 EN61000-4-4 (2004) Electrical Fast Transient Burst
 EN61000-4-5 (1995 w/A1:01) Surge
 EN61000-4-6 (1996 w/A1:01) Conducted Immunity
 EN61000-4-8 (1993 w/A1:01) Magnetic Immunity
 EN61000-4-11 (2004) Voltage Dips & Interrupts

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Moisture and Carbon Dioxide monitors for Natural Gas models SS2000 (Single Head), SS500 (Single Head) and SS3000 (Dual Head) rated at 100-240Vac, 50/60Hz, 20W(max). May also be used with alternate DC power supplies rated at 9-16Vdc or 18-32Vdc. Temperature Code T3C. For use in an ambient range of -20°C to 50°C.

PART B:

Class I, Division 2, Groups B, C and D; Tamb -20°C to +60°C

Models: SS500e Single Analyzer System

SS2000e Single Analyzer System

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Temperature Code T3C without heaters.

APPLICABLE REQUIREMENTS

CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 0-M91 - General Requirements - Canadian Electrical Code, Part II

CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 0.4-2004 - Bonding of Electrical Equipment (Protective Grounding)

CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 94-M91 - Special Purpose Enclosures 2,3,4 and 5

CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 213-M1987 - Non-Incendive Electrical Equipment for Use in Class I, Division 2 Hazardous Locations

UL 50 11th Edition - Enclosures for Electrical Equipment

UL 1604 (3rd Edition) - Electrical Equipment for Use in Class I and II, Div. 2, Class III Hazardous Locations

CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 61010-1-04 - Safety Requirements for Electrical Equipment for Measurement, Control and Laboratory Use - Part 1: General Requirements

UL 61010-1 (2nd Edition) - Safety Requirements for Electrical Equipment for Measurement, Control and Laboratory Use - Part 1: General Requirements

ANSI/ISA 12.12.01:2007 - Non-Incendive Electrical Equipment for Use in Class I and II, Division 2, Class III Divisions 1 and 2 Hazardous (Classified) Locations



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2543727	July 25, 2012	Update to include revised schematics due to the addition of previously certified relays to the SS500, SS2000 and SS3000 models.
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2406157	March 22, 2011	Update of Report 1569421 to include alternate sealants used to seal keypad ribbon cable on enclosure door.
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1569421	March 9, 2005	Certification of Moisture Analyzers SS2000 and SS3000 to CSA_C_US, Class I, Division 2, Groups C and D.

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